WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer remains stationary on the Coast, and unsettled, mild weather prevails on the Pacific Slope. Zero temperature have occurred in Saskatchewan.

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TECHNICAL SCHOOL BY-LAW FAILS AT POLLS

DYNAMITE CARGO ON STEAMER BLOWS UP; PORT IS DISRUPTED

City of Buena Ventura Is Shaken Up by Explosion on Ss. Tritonia in Harbor—Wreckage from Vessel Is Hurled Over Wide Area—Canal Damaged and Traffic Obstructed

Most of Crew on Shore at Time; Two Aboard Are Killed Instantly

BUENA VENTURA, Colombia, Feb. 28.—A severe explosion occurred late this afternoon on board the British steamship Tritonia, in whose cargo were 200 boxes of dynamite. The force of the blast disrupted cable and telegraph communication and did other damage in the harbor. Because of the dangerous character of its cargo the ship itself was outside the harbor. Most of its crew were on shore, which made difficult the task of checking casualties.

It was established that two men had been killed instantly. Pieces of the wreckage of the vessel were hurled over a wide area and buildings in the town were damaged. Port traffic was obstructed by damage to the canal.

SEATTLE, Feb. 28.—The Tritonia, badly damaged today by an explosion at Buenva Ventura, Colombia, was loaded by Balfour Guthrie & Co. Seattle, as an extra carrier for service to the West Coast of South America at Dupont, Washington, on February 6.

She was commanded by Captain Robert White, a veteran of the Dominion Service, and her first officer was named Jones. Local offices of Balfour, Guthrie & Company were unable to give the name of the Tritonia's second officer. The Tritonia was valued at nearly $1,000,000, and the cargo, containing 200 boxes of dynamite, was reported worth about $50,000.

The vessel, of 3,194 tons, was built in 1918 as a unit of the war fleet, and first sailed as the War Erna.

Muriel Dunsmuir Judged Leader in Irish Adventure

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The grim incident Cold Bailey today witnessed happy ending to the escapade of Jose O'Grady, domestic servant who fled from London to Ireland with the eleven-year-old granddaughter of James Dunsmuir, former Lieutenant-Governor of British Columbia, after the girls had said they were "going on the stage." They were sent back by police after a wide search. Miss O'Grady was charged today with abducting the Dunsmuir girl. An orphan, aged eighteen, she has the mentality of a child ten years. Her limitation was in strong contrast to the complete confidence of Muriel Dunsmuir, who did she asked Rose to take her to Ireland because she wanted adventure.

The recorder was of the opinion the boot was on the other foot and the older girl had been abducted by the assured Muriel. Rose, however, was bound over for two years in care of a Catholic officer who will find her a home.

From the Colonist Tower

Friday, March 1

60th Day, 1929

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Light to moderate winds, generally fair and cold, with occasional rain.

Sun Rises: 6:35 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 5:57 o'clock.

High Tide: 6:01 a.m., 5.2 feet.
Low Tide: 1:37 p.m., 3.0 feet.

Sports

Vancouver Lions held to draw by Portland.

Rangers ousted from lead in American Section of W-H-L by Boston Bruins. Leafs defeat Americans, Canadiens defeat Americans; battle to scoreless draw.

Stirling received largest check of fight career for mix with Sharkey at Miami Beach.

Walter Trumbull gives some good details of Stirling-Sharkey bout.

The News

Local and Provincial—

Proposed amendment to Highway Act would make motorists come to complete stop at railway crossings.

Premier Peck makes strong plea for ferry from Fulford Harbor to Beaumont Peninsula.

Premier Bennett says Ladner will continue to look after Dunsmuir grain rate question.

Hon. Mr. Pooley gives reasons for dismissal of Juvenile Court judge.

Inquiry into expenditures for liquor law enforcement proposed.

Business, Imperial and Foreign—

Footballer charges that he asked for money for career explosion on steamer at Buena Ventura.

St. James Aikins dies.

SAFEGUARDING OF RESOURCES IS ATTEMPTED

Members at Ottawa Seek to Prevent Alienation of Public Wealth Without Assent of Parliament

PREMIER OPPOSES MEASURE PROPOSED

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—The third day of the debate on the motion by J. S. Woodsworth, Labor, Winnipeg, North Centre, respecting natural resources, was enlivened in the House today by a series of attempts on the part of Conservative members to bring in an amendment. Mr. Woodsworth's motion was "That in the opinion of this House, no disposition of the natural resources under the control of the Federal Government shall be effective until ratified by Parliament."

After two amendments had been declared out of order, on one of which the ruling of the Deputy Speaker was unsuccessfully challenged, Hon. Hugh Guthrie, acting leader of the Conservatives during the absence of Hon. R. B. Bennett, finally got an amendment introduced which the chair accepted. This amendment would restrict Mr. Woodsworth's motion under powers.

PREMIER OPPOSES

Premier King, in opposing Mr. Guthrie's amendment said it was calculated to "absolutely divide Western and Eastern Canada." Conservative members protested this statement.

The debate was continuing when the House adjourned at 11 o'clock tonight.

The first amendment, introduced by T. L. Church, Conservative, in the afternoon, was declared out of order by Speaker Lemieux. It asked for a review of the lease by the Dominion Government of the Seven Sisters Falls to the Winnipeg Electric Company, and other leases grants or permits. This review, the amendment contended, should be made by the mines, forests and water powers committee.

After the Speaker had ruled this out of order as introducing new matter not relevant to the original motion, the debate on the motion continued.

CHARLIE CHAPLIN IS ON WAY TO RECOVERY

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 28.—His temperature returned to normal after a critical period of twenty-four hours, when it remained near 101 degrees, Charles Chaplin, film comedian, was believed by attendants tonight to have passed the crisis in his illness.

Seven Killed By Explosion At Time Clock

STONE MOUNTAIN, Ga., Feb. 28.—Seven men took their lives and ten others were injured, several seriously, late today in an explosion of an air compressor at the quarries of the Stone Mountain Granite Corporation, about a mile north of here.

The explosion occurred as the men were crowded about a time clock near the compressor, checking out after the day's work.

RECORDS OF P.G.E. ROAD ARE SOUGHT

Member for Peace River Asks for Correspondence Between C.N.R. and B.C. Government as to P.G.E.

FURTHER REQUEST ALSO PRESENTED

Mr. Kennedy Inquires as to What Has Been Done to Survey Passes Westward Through Mountains

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—Request for the statement of what has been done by the Department of Railways and Canals to survey a route through the Rockies which will give the Peace River country an outlet to the Pacific by rail, was made today by Dr. H. M. Kennedy, U.F.A., Peace River, to Hon. C. A. Dunning, on Friday, according to votes and proceedings of the House of Commons published for today.

There are three passes believed to be suitable for the construction of a railroad through the mountains to the coast, linking the millions of acres of wheat land along the valley of the Peace with tidewater. They are respectively known as Peace Pass, Pine Pass and Monkman Pass. Mr. Kennedy's question inquires what survey work has been done on these to ascertain their merits as possible links in the railway, and whether the by the department itself or by the C.N.R.

Mr. Kennedy will ask at the same time for all correspondence, reports and other documents between the department of the Federal Government, the C.N.R., the British Columbia Government and other bodies, dealing with a proposed survey of resources of the Peace River country which might conceivably be served by an extension of the Pacific Great Eastern Railway in British Columbia.

BILL PROTECTS MOTORISTS AT RAIL CROSSING

Amendment to Highway Act Would Make Full Stop Compulsory for Auto Drivers

REDUCTION OF PENALTY URGED

All motor vehicles traffic will be compelled to stop before crossing a railway if the bill to amend the Highway Act introduced in committee yesterday afternoon's session by Hon. H. Lembke, Minister of Public Works, is passed. A reduction in the fines for breaking the Highway Act is also provided for in the bill.

The penalty for violating the act is a maximum of $100 instead of $500 maximum. This appears to be unduly severe, Mr. Lembke says. The amendment will limit the penalty to $50 or exceeding $50.

The bill also definitely designates ferry landings as highways, as part of a highway. There has been some doubt as to the status of ferry landings and approaches in the past.

Another amendment gives the minister power to demand the replacement of gates, ditches or fences on highways if such structures remain removed. If the order is not observed, then the minister may impose a fine of $50 for failure to proceed with the work and recover the cost of it.

At present only motor stages are made to stop at railway crossings before proceeding. This is being amended, however, to compel all motor and vehicular traffic to stop at these points.

"To make other amendment to the act is that respecting the ordering of bridges closed, or limiting the weight to be transported over bridges," the Premier said, "the minister may issue and enforce these instructions. At present the order must come from the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council."

LUCKY BALDWIN'S DAUGHTER

GLENDALE, Cal., Feb. 28.—Death came yesterday to Mrs. Clara Baldwin Stocker, eighty-two, one of this country's wealthiest women, who rad led a career highly romantic because that that of her father, the late E. J. "Lucky" Baldwin.

Real estate and oil had brought Mrs. Stocker's fortune to upwards of $10,000,000. She had been married four times and was fond of diamonds and expensive jewelry.

Accused of Breaking Pledge to Members

HON. CHARLES STEWART

Minister of the Interior, who was under fire in the House of Commons in connection with the notes Bisaillon swore great. It is altered that Mr. Stewart, after a meeting with Mr. Bennett, Premier, said he would take no action unless charges that which they would answer. They voted also to bar assistant examiner the site in private interests.

FOUR STATES ON ATLANTIC ARE FLOODED

Inundations in Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas Follow Two Days' Downpour of Rain

SWOLLEN RIVERS POUR INTO CITIES

ATLANTA, Ga., Feb. 28.—Swollen to flood stage by a forty-eight-hour downpour of rain, rivers and tributaries in Georgia, Alabama and the Carolinas swirled out of their banks today, menacing cities and villages, impaired rail and highway traffic, and claimed six lives in one small Georgia community. Wide areas of inundation washed out bridges and flooded roads and rail lines were reported in the lowlands of nine principal streams.

Georgia was perhaps the hardest hit. Here the torrents of the Oconalgee spread out a mile wide and surged within four blocks of the main business section of Macon. City employees worked to strengthen levees with sand bags.

DROWN IN CARS

Near Lincolnton, Ga., the flood waters rose so rapidly that two persons who were drowned in automobiles that plunged into the waters of Cherokee Creek, flowing through a washout in the highway fill. The bodies of F. A. McWhorter, prominent attorney and a state representative-elect, and his three small children were taken from the stream along with the bodies of Ben F. Foreman, of Allendale, S.C., and Edward Barrett, thirty-seven, of Groveton, Ga.

The six victims were occupants of two cars that plunged off opposite sides of the washout.

HONORS LIST IS PUBLISHED

THREE PEERAGES BESTOWED ARE NON-POLITICAL—ONE P.C. GRANTED

Numerous Baronetcies and Knighthoods Include Many Members of House of Commons

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The honors list issued tonight, which was postponed from New Year's owing to His Majesty's illness, may be regarded as a tabulation of persons whose records the King and his advisers regard with favor. There is but little political complexion about the list, particularly notes regarding the three peerages bestowed.

The recipients of the peerages are Sir Jesse Boot, Sir Urban Hanlan and Sir Roger Broughton and Sir Berkley Moynahan.

Membership in the Privy Council is conferred upon the Earl of Stanhope, Civil Lord of the Admiralty since 1924.

BARONETCIES

Baronetcies are conferred on the following: Frederick Alfred Akroyd, of Bradford; Frederick Gustave Eckstein, chairman of the Sudan Plantations; Captain Sir John Carmichael, formerly member of Parliament for Lyndhurst; William Edgar Horne, chairman of the Prudential Assurance Company; Alex Park Lyle, for services in connection with the Scottish National War Memorial; William Richard Morris, the well-known automobile manufacturer; Charles Thomas-Stanford, former

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REASON FOR REMOVAL OF JUDGE GIVEN

Attorney-General Says Mrs. MacGill Had Become Danger to Class She Was Appointed to Assist

CAUSTIC REPLY TO PRESS CRITICS

Denies Choice of Miss Paterson Was Induced by Political Influence or That She Sought Post

DUST before the Legislature adjourned yesterday the Attorney-General, Hon. R. H. Pooley, made a statement of the reasons why he had failed to reappoint Mrs. Helen MacGill as juvenile court judge, when the magistrate for Greater Vancouver were reappointed upon the extension of boundaries.

He said he took that view owing to adverse criticism, and the fact that some newspapers had "been making an asinine exhibition of themselves" on the subject.

Mrs. MacGill had declined, it was charged by the Attorney-General, to commit delinquent girls to the home erected for their purpose.

The statement made by Mr. Pooley that Mrs. MacGill did not show that she felt bound to interpret the law as they existed with regard to these matters, and thus ran contrary to the department charged with the administration of justice.

The decision was made to appoint Miss Ruth Paterson, who was a practising lawyer, and one whom it was thought would well fill the position.

Mr. A. M. Manson, in taking exception to the nonappointment of Mrs. MacGill, charged out that he thought that a woman who had raised a family might be better fitted for the position than an unmarried lady. He was afraid that the appointment of Miss Paterson would be a political one, as she had been a Conservative candidate.

Mr. Manson said that he did not object too much to that aspect, as he agreed with Colonel Peck that there was a good deal of hypocrisy about patronage.

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TWO FERRIES REQUIRED FOR GULF ISLANDS

Colonel Peck Urges Projects for Fulford-Saanich and Gabriola-Nanaimo Routes

ARGUMENTS PLACED BEFORE B.C. HOUSE

Colonel C. W. Peck V.C., in his speech on the budget in the House yesterday, made a strong appeal for the ferry from Fulford Harbor on Salt Spring Island, to the Saanich Peninsula. He pointed out that this was something in which everyone in Victoria should lend support. Colonel Peck said, an appliance of the project:

"The distance on the water from Fulford Harbor to the Saanich Peninsula can be covered in forty minutes. From there is a paved road to Victoria. This would mean that a farmer on Salt Spring Island could get his produce into the city, or truck easily in two and a half hours, and could return the same day. He could bring in his produce and take back supplies. Bigger farming and bee lines would soon be established.

"The farmer there would get his mail and his morning paper in Victoria time. The expansion of trade would be very great and immediate."

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Mr. G. B. Shaw Is Ill

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Reports that George Bernard Shaw is seriously ill have caused the fall to be bandied with telephone calls inquiring as to his health.

His secretary today said, however, that Shaw had been suffering with a severe cold, he had practically recovered.

FATAL FALL

VERNON, B.C., Feb. 28.—As a result of a fall down cement steps to the floor of the basement in his home, Charles Lessmann, aged 8, died. He was an old-timer in the Lumby district.

Eminent Public Man Dies in Winnipeg

SIR JAMES AIKINS, K.C.

Former Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba and former head of the Canadian bar who died early this morning at the residence of his son in Winnipeg.

HEART ATTACK ENDS LIFE OF SIR J. AIKINS

Distinguished Public Man, Long at Head of Canadian Bar Association, Dies After Brief Illness

SERVED COUNTRY IN MANY OFFICES

WINNIPEG, March 1.—Sir James Aikins, K.C., former Lieutenant-Governor of Manitoba and a distinguished member of the Canadian Bar, died early this morning. Sir James, who was in his seventy-eighth year, died at the residence of his son, Major O Harold Aikins. He had been ill since Friday of last week when he suffered a heart attack. He died shortly after midnight.

Since his retirement from the Lieutenant-Governorship in 1926, after serving two terms, Sir James had travelled much and had only returned from a tour of the West Indies a few days previous to being stricken with the heart last week.

Lady Aikins, Major Aikins and two daughters, Helen, wife of Major Fred J. Hey, prominent educationist, and Elizabeth, were at his bedside.

Funeral arrangements were not announced this evening.

It was not until last night that attending physicians announced that Sir James was seriously ill, but even then it was stated he had been slightly improvement during the day. The first intimation of his illness was given the public Monday night when he was unable to attend an honorary banquet marking his fiftieth year of graduation as a barrister.

Sir James had a brilliant career in law, politics, the church and business, which won for him an international reputation. He was one of the founders of the Canadian Bar Association, and for many years was its president. He was a former member of Parliament, representing the constituency of Brandon from 1911 until 1918, when he retired to accept the leadership of the Conservative party in Manitoba. This was following the downfall of the Robin Administration, and in the election that followed Sir James was defeated in his own constituency of Brandon, while his party also suffered defeat.

Railway Accident, Not Wheat Pool, Held Wheat Back

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28.—In a statement issued here tonight, George McIvor, general sales manager of the Canadian Wheat Pool, denied reports that the Pool should be responsible for a delay in the sailing of the steamer Birkbeck from Prince Rupert. The steamer was held at Prince Rupert for three days after awaiting a grain cargo. "The delay was due to conditions over which the Pool had no control," stated Mr. McIvor. He explained that the grain was shipped from Alberta in ample time to meet the terms of the contract, but a railway accident, which occurred during the unloading of the cargo, caused the delay.

Norman, seven years old, was playing bandit, and for some time had been staggering around as if badly wounded, without actually toppling over, as a victim of the imaginary bullets of his playmates in neighbor, watching the game, called to him: "Norman, why don't you fall down?"

"I can't," answered the boy crossly. "I'm not allowed to. If I had on my old trousers I'd have been dead long ago."

Ratepayers Refuse to Authorize Expenditure Of $145,000 for School

By-Law Submitted to People for Third Time Meets With Decisive Defeat, Failing by 538 Votes to Secure Three-Fifths Majority Required for Its Passage

Trustee Beckwith Says Technical Grant Is Lost to City Forever

THE Technical School By-Law was decisively defeated at the polls in Victoria yesterday. The official records figures show that 1,380 ratepayers voted in favor of the measure and 1,917 registered their opposition to it. The by-law failed by 538 votes to secure the three-fifths majority required for its passage.

A total of 3,309 people voted, the polls being open from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. To have passed, the by-law needed 1,918 votes, the required three-fifths of the total votes cast. The number of spoiled ballots was twelve.

It was the third time that the city ratepayers have refused to authorize the expenditure of $145,000 on a technical high school, which was to cost $350,000. The Provincial Government had consented to contribute $100,000 towards the cost of building and equipment.

On the two previous occasions that the by-law was submitted to the people, the measure received bare majorities, but failed to secure the three-fifths majorities that were essential to its passing. Yesterday, however, the ratepayers not only did not give the by-law a majority, but expressed in emphatic fashion by their votes that they did not want a technical high school in this community.

TWO PREVIOUS POLLS

When the first technical by-law was voted on by the people on April 5, 1928, the vote was: Yes, 1,157; no, 1,135, the poll on the by-law when it was submitted a second time at the civic election on December 13, 1928, was: Yes, 2,162; no, 2,043.

Trustee George Jay, chairman of the School Board, was the only school trustee present at the Market building when the votes were being counted. Mr. Jay declined to comment upon the result of the poll.

"It is naturally a source of great regret to members of the School Board that the Technical School By-Law has been defeated," Trustee J. L. Beckwith, a veteran member of the Board, stated to The Colonist on hearing the decision last night. "We were very much in earnest, and were not trifling with the matter."

Trustee Beckwith said that there was little doubt that such a thing as a technical grant from the Government was lost to Victoria forever.

TEMPORARY QUARTERS

"The School Board will have to carry on the work in the Victoria High School for the balance of the present term, and for the succession for next September. We will have an increase in the student body at the high school next term, and will have to provide for temporary quarters."

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Junior Chamber Offers to Stage May 24 Display

The Junior Chamber of Commerce intends to offer its services to stage the May 24 celebration when the public meeting called by Mayor Ainscomb is held on Tuesday next.

This organization, which conducted the celebration a year ago, saving $1,100 thereby, believes that a regularly organized body would have complete control in order to apply proper business principles, and to insure the co-operation of all organizations in arranging attractions.

FREIGHT RATE ISSUE IS NOT TO LANGUISH

Premier Says Mr. L. J. Ladner, M.P., Will Continue to Look After Grain Rate Question

LARGER ISSUE ALSO PRESSED

British Columbia will continue to prosecute its claims for readjustment of the rates, Premier King was made abundantly clear by Premier E. P. Taylor, in issuing a statement yesterday setting out the position of the Government not only with respect to Crowsnest grain rates, but in respect of the general case of the province as set forth in Premier's statement follows:

"On the question of domestic grain rates we have already confirmed Mr. L. J. Ladner, K.C., M.P., to represent the province in this matter and also Mr. A. C. Boyce, K.C., of Ottawa.

"Mr. Ladner has instructions to co-operate with anyone in the province interested in this appeal.

"While Mr. Ladner has been instructed with regard to the appeal on domestic grain rates, I want it to be very clearly understood that we are intent to preserve our position for a reduction of the general freight rates in British Columbia towards the elimination of the mountain differential.

"The question of freight rates is a matter of vital importance which the people of this province are deeply interested, and we propose to proceed along business lines without regard to the political significance of any steps toward our aim.

"The public may rest assured that the Government is giving this matter most earnest consideration."

Inquiry Into Enforcement Laws Sought

Hon. R. H. Pooley has given notice of a motion to name a select committee of the Legislature consisting of Messrs. H. D. Twigg, J. W. Berry and I. A. Mackenzie to go into the expenditures made under the Liquor Government in connection with the appointment of inspectors, and others charged with the enforcement of the liquor laws of the province. The committee will examine into the ways in which the money was expended, the nature of the services rendered, and whether the moneys were properly expended.

The resolution calling for the appointment of the committee sets out that doubts have arisen in connection with such appointments and expenditures. The committee will have power to call witnesses, and examine them under oath.

The motion of Mr. Pooley will be moved in the House on Monday next.

Pilot to Attempt 6,000-Mile Jump; Was Born in B.C.

VERNON, B.C., Feb. 28.—Squadron Leader James Williams, first pilot, who with Flight-Lieutenant Major, is to attempt a nonstop flight from Cagelower to England, a distance of 5,000 miles, was born in British Columbia. The father of Squadron Leader Williams died by a falling tree in the Coldstream bush on January 21, 1905.

After the accident the family returned to Bryanston, Williams being at that time only two and a half years of age.

Tremor Felt

SAN JUAN DEL SUR, Nicaragua, Feb. 28.—A strong earthquake shock was felt here early this morning. No damage was reported.

TRAINS CRASH IN CALIFORNIA

PASSENGER TRAIN RUNS BY SWITCH AND COLLIDES WITH FREIGHT

Two Trainmen Killed and Number of Passengers Injured in Head-Smash-Up

UKIAH, Cal., Feb. 28.—Death was the fare by 890 yards today when a northbound Northwestern Pacific passenger train ran by a switch and collided with a southbound freight at Largo, ten miles south of here.

Two trainmen were killed and a dozen passengers were injured in the head-on crash, a quarter of a mile north of the point where the two trains should have passed.

Engineer George Bradley, of the Eureka Limited, and Fireman F. L. Landis, in the cab of the freight, bound freight, were killed. A dozen passengers received injuries ranging from bruises to broken bones and severe lacerations.

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2 lbs for	34c	Choice Breakfast Bacon, sliced, per lb.	35c
Choice Breakfast Bacon, piece cut, per lb.	32c	Little Pig Pork Sausages, per lb.	28c
Finest Ayrshire Roll, sliced, per lb.	35c	Prime Matured Ontario Cheese, per lb.	35c
Finest Mild Cheese, per lb.	29c	Smoked Picnic Ham, per lb.	22c
Smoked Cottage Roll, per lb.	32c	Sweet Pickled Picnic Ham, per lb.	19c
Sweet Pickled Cottage Roll, per lb.	29c	Finest Peanut Butter, in your own container, per lb.	15c
Swift's Premium Wieners per lb.	30c	H.A. Brick Cheese, per lb.	35c
Fresh Beef Dripping, 2 lbs. for	25c		

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Pure Maple Syrup, pints, per bottle	29c	Nabob Jellies, 4 pkts. for	25c
Bulk Macaroni, 3 lbs. for	25c	Pot Barley, 4 lbs for	25c
Fry's Cocoa, ½-lb. tins	23c	Pure Dutch Cocoa, 2 lbs. for	25c
Braid's Tudor Tea, per lb.	49c	Broken Pekoe Tea, per lb.	45c
Fresh Ground Reception Coffee, per lb.	51c	3 lbs. for	$1.32
Herrings, in tomato sauce, per can	16c	Fresh Ground Melshat Coffee, per lb.	41c
Tomatoes, large cans, 2 for	25c	3 lbs. for	25c
Quaker Corn, per can	14c	Golden Bantam Corn, per can	22c
Spinach, large cans, per can	21c	Rogers' Golden Syrup, 2's, per can	19c
Kellogg's Bran Flakes, per packet	12c	Nelson's Bran, per lb.	39c
Nabob Sliced Peaches, per can	21c	Weston's Soda Biscuits, large packet, 2 for	25c
Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. cans	41c	Greengage Jam, 4-lb. cans	45c

BREAD FLOUR, 49's	$2.19
BREAD FLOUR, 24's	$1.12
WILD ROSE PASTRY FLOUR, 10's	46c
QUAKER PORRIDGE OATS, 20-lb. bags	$1.00

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Choice Head Lettuce, each	10c	Good Table Potatoes, 12 lbs. for	25c
3 for	25c	per sack	$1.75
Sweet Turnips,	25c	Cowichan Nested Gems, Extra special, per sack	$2.00
Fancy New Dates, 3 lbs. for	25c	Natural Sugarless Figs, 2 lbs. for	25c
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3 dozen for	65c	3 dozen for	35c

REASON FOR REMOVAL OF JUDGE GIVEN

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The statement of Mr. Pooley, which was followed by a motion regretting that the precaution was not taken to get at the facts before making an attack, contained the following:

SOURCE OF "DETERENCE"

"Regarding Mrs. Helen MacGill, former judge of the delinquent court of the city of Vancouver, this lady was appointed by order-in-council in 1911, for the territory comprised within the limits of the city of Vancouver. Subsequently her jurisdiction, and that of Magistrate Shaw, was extended to the district of Richmond, these being electoral districts, and not strictly municipal areas. Mrs. MacGill, on many occasions during her administration was a source of not merely annoyance but deterence to the officers carrying out the provisions of the Juvenile Delinquents Act. She arrogated the position of being the sole and final authority as to what was correct or what should be done under the law which she was appointed to administer.

"One of her outstanding faults may be the cause of incalculable wrong, and perhaps misery in certain sections of public. She declined to commit delinquent girls to the home because it might happen that such girls, or any of them, would so conduct themselves as to make it necessary in the interests or other girls in the home, to remove such girls to the jail in Oakalla. This might often be necessary, not only in the welfare of the girl herself, but in that of the other inmates. For example, a girl committed to the home might prove incorrigible, unmanageable, indecent, or even mutinous. Her continued presence in the home would obviously be dangerous to say the least. It would be necessary, therefore, both for the welfare of the other inmates and the offending girl. To remove her to the stricter atmosphere of the jail, where she would be under more discipline, her chance of escaping being minimized; the advantage of instruction, both religious and social, being greater and, on her improvement, if such, she would be returned to the home for the balance of her sentence.

Mrs. MacGill, on this principle, followed a policy of declining to commit girls to the home, remanding cases before her, setting the girls at large, also allowing them out on suspended sentence, setting those girls also at large, girls who should, in the interests and safety of the society in which they live, have been kept or put in a place of detention. It is noticed that Mrs. MacGill, in the year 1923 or 1928, committed to the home in all forty-eight girls. In 1927, she committed nine; in 1928 the records show she committed only one. Her account. On the contrary, as my instigation or suggestion, she approached to ascertain if she would accept the position. I can not imagine any ground of personal influence or political favoritism can be established to that point. On the other hand, when Gerald Van-couver came into existence, I reappointed the magistrate on Bow who had been acting for the more limited area previously, and they were all Liberals. There cannot be very much suspicion of political wire pulling in that.

"As to Mrs. MacGill's removal, I may say that when I was ill in bed, my department was approached for information as to the reasons for her removal, and the answer given was that I was indisposed, and that all necessary information would be given as soon as I had recovered. Then a certain section of the press, without getting the facts, and with no facts, indeed, to base them, launched on me a bitter political attack at a time when I was confined to my bed by illness. That is not playing the game. Had the inquirers, as they were told, sought to obtain full information from me, the files are in the department and the facts and circumstances would have been disclosed to them, and not merely an injustice upon me avoided, but newspapers which consider themselves public guardians and moulders of public of opinion, would have avoided making ridiculous exhibitions of themselves."

Upon 6 o'clock being reached the debate on the matters adjourned, as Messrs. Parkinson and Ian Mackenzie said that they would like to speak on the matter.

TWO FERRIES REQUIRED FOR GULF ISLANDS

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And during the Summer and Fall the island would be thronged with tourists. It is impossible to exaggerate the beautiful scenery on this island and the wonderful sheets of water.

Colonel Peck expressed the fear that the people of Victoria were not sufficiently alive to the matter while his praised the activities of the district boards of trade and chambers in seeking this connection.

GABRIOLA ISLAND FERRY

"Another ferry that I am well acquainted with is one which is soon to see in operation is one from the Mainland of Vancouver Island to Gabriola Island," said the member for the Islands. This is a large island with about 300 population. It is tributary to Nanaimo, and is the natural Summer resort and playground of that city.

"One can only describe the want of transportation to this island as tragic. It has no steamboat service and depends on an irregular service of one or two pacjboats launches. Thirty years ago they were much better off.

"My friend the member for Nanaimo will bear me out when I state that the island has great attractions for the tourist. What it wants is a small, serviceable ferry.

"After all, a ferry is but a bridge, except that it only costs a small amount in comparison. I am very heartily in favor of having these ferry services established in the most possible moment.

"I think we one known more of these islands than the Premier, and I do not more alive to the importance of establishing proper means of transportation. I therefore support strongly upon the Government the consideration of these claims, and that they assist in the solving of them, either by aiding private companies in setting ferries started or, failing that, to inaugurate ferry systems on their own account."

HONORS LIST IS PUBLISHED

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member of Parliament for Brighton; Frederick Charles Thomson, member of Parliament for South Aberdeen; Henry Booth, of Cheshire, Judge William Cain; Councillor William Cundiffe, of Manchester; Stephen Ernest Hall, Lord Mayor of Newcastle; Walter Evans, of Birming-

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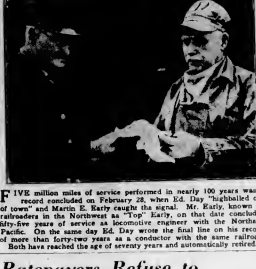

FIVE million miles of service performed in nearly 100 years was a record concluded on February 28, when Ed. Day "highballed out of town" and Martin E. Early caught the signal. Mr. Early, on the left, is photo by Mr. Early, on that date concluded fifty-five years of service as locomotive engineer with the Northern Pacific. On the same date Mr. Ed. Day wrote the final line on his record of more than forty-two years as a conductor with the same railroad. Both have reached the age of seventy years and automatically retired.

Ratepayers Refuse to Authorize Expenditure Of $145,000 for School

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ters of some kind to take care of the increase," he said.

The trustee personally thought there were difficulties ahead of Saanich in the building of a high school of its own. There were the different municipalities in the municipality, and the question of whether Saanich ratepayers would pass a by-law for a high school.

"Personally, I hope the time will not come when Saanich pupils will have to leave the Saanich High School. If the Saanich pupils leave the school will suffer a financial loss.

ANOTHER HIGH SCHOOL

"However, I feel certain that inside of another twelve months or so the city ratepayers will have to face the matter of another high school for Victoria, whether Saanich students are attending our institution or not," Mr. Beckwith said.

Trustee Beckwith declared it had been suggested by some that the School Board resign in a body, in view of the rejection of the Technical School By-Law at the polls. "I personally do not favor such a course, for I feel it would furnish too great gratification to those who seem to dislike the board.

"I feel that the defeat of the technical school measure has been a very serious mistake. I know of several families who have moved from Victoria to Vancouver owing to the absence of a technical school here, and I have no doubt others will do the same," Mr. Beckwith said.

Mr. Beckwith said that the School Board had been criticized for submitting the by-law to the ratepayers so soon after the poll on the measure in December. "The only reason why we proceeded with this was to get the by-law through by March 31, and thus secure the Government technical grant for the city. We think we were justified in that action."

ACCUSER GIVES HIS EVIDENCE

OPPOSITION LEADER TESTIFIES BEFORE MANITOBA INQUIRY COMMISSION

Ten Grounds Stated for Charges Made—Eleventh Added—Audit Is Demanded

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28 — A statement said to have been made by R. K. Elliott, Winnipeg barrister, that contracts for the Winnipeg Electric Company to the Bracken Government were "far more than $50,000" was one of the points on which Col. P. C. Taylor, K.C., based his charges against the Bracken Government, according to Colonel Taylor's statement today before the commission inquiring into his charges.

Questioned by his counsel, Colonel Taylor enumerated ten grounds on which he had founded the charges now under investigation. After examination by his counsel, Colonel Taylor outlined three requirements he thought should be considered by the commission.

"First, I want Mr. McLimont, former president of the Winnipeg Electric Company, back here and I'd like an audit of the Winnipeg Electric Company's books," he stated. He also would like some relief from the Government from carrying out the litigation required by the commission. "If those requirements are met," stated Colonel Sullivan, I am convinced that Mr. Taylor is satisfied to go ahead."

"I have reason to believe in my statements, for one added reason more than ever," said Colonel Taylor, as his examination by Colonel Sullivan concluded, "and that is because this royal commission was not named upon my request. I have left town."

Mr. McLimont is now in California.

MODERN METHOD

Where once as students we would in knowledge patiently to thrive, All of a sudden we are made to wait And merely psychoanalyse.

The Books of Law are cast aside, Doctors are banished in their pride. One general method we devise, We merely psychoanalyse.

We call each crook when he is caught A victim of unconscious thought,' And neither blame nor sympathize We merely psychoanalyse.

—Washington Star.

TWO RAILWAYS TO BEAR COST

C.N.R. AND E. & N. MUST MAKE INTERCHANGE FACILITIES ON RESERVE HERE

Canada's Railway Board Approves City Engineer's Proposal Plan for Overhead Crossing

The Canadian National Railways and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway must make interchange rail facilities on the Songhees Reserve within three months from the acceptance of the plans, and bear all costs, according to the final order made by the Board of Railway Commissioners for Canada, in answer to the application of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, the order awarding everything asked for by that organization.

The order calls for an overhead crossing over ally thoroughfares affected, and eliminates all level crossings. Under the terms, the final drawings for the interchange tracks must be submitted by March 18. No further argument will be heard as to the sharing of the costs of the plan, which must be borne by the two railways in proportion to the amount of the work done by their own properties.

The order, dated February 18, and signed by H. A. McKeown, chief commissioner, provides as follows:

"It is ordered that Interchange tracks be constructed on the Songhees Reserve, in the city of Victoria, B.C., beginning at a point on the track of the Canadian National Railways, a short distance south of the Esquimalt Road; thence running in a southeasterly direction to an overhead crossing of Johnson Street; thence continuing to the point of connection with the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway, approximately 1,550 feet west of the Johnson Street subway.

"That the Canadian National Railways submit a plan and profile within one month of the date of this order, for the approval of the engineer of the board, showing the location of the proposed interchange track.

"That the Canadian National Railways construct the portion of the track on its own property, namely, to the north side of Johnson Street, and the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway construct the remainder of the track, including the overhead crossing of Johnson Street.

"That the work be completed within three months from the date of the approval of the plan.

"That the question of the cost of constructing the said interchange tracks be reserved for further consideration by the board."

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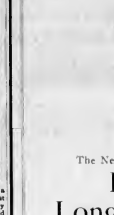

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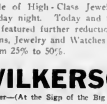

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EXPENDITURE MUST BE CUT, SAYS COL. PECK

Patronage System Has Serious Abuses, Member for Islands Shows Situation In His Riding

INCIDENT ON SALT SPRING DEPRECATED

"The time is coming when this Province will have to stop borrowing. It will have to cut and bring its disbursements within the revenue of the province," said Colonel C. W. Peck, V.C., D.S.O., in speaking on the budget yesterday afternoon in the Legislature. His remarks were applauded not only by members of the Government but by a number of those on the Opposition side of the House.

Colonel Peck said he realized that the Minister of Finance was up against a serious condition in view of the state of the finances when he took over power.

The member for the Islands praised the budget, and turned to the subject of patronage. He thought the Government could well be advised by its supporters on this question. He believed that the people who were against patronage were usually those who were not able to use it. He could, however, promise that when the Conservatives abolished patronage it would be along a line that would be a great improvement upon what the late Government pretended to do.

The protestations had been made for the purpose of catching the civil service vote. It was a sham, the Colonel declared.

SITUATION IN ISLANDS

Colonel Peck said he had, in the presence of the present Premier, stated in public with respect to this patronage matter that no Liberal office holders who performed their duties efficiently had kept out of politics had anything to fear. Such men were being protected. Any man who played politics in his office was informed that he would have short shrift from him.

Colonel Peck said that he regretted having to have men removed, but the complaints were so numerous that it could not be overlooked. The road work in one man's district was being carried out more in the interest of the Liberal party, and of one family on the Island, than in the interest of the province.

He revealed that after the former election four returned men had been fired from the rock crusher because they had voted either for himself or for the Provincial party.

Colonel Peck referred to the fact that the public accounts showed that the Liberal store on Salt Spring Island had been paid over $12,000, while the Conservative store had only been given payments of $1,900.

Yokel (indicating unfortunate skater): "Look, Bill! There's a depression on its way from Iceland!"

The Passing Show London

King as Seen on Journey

In the beautiful sunlit palace at Craigweil, at Bognor, the King is recuperating from his recent illness to the great joy and much concern. His Majesty is shown above lying in the ambulance which transported him from Buckingham Palace to Bognor, the first time in nearly three months that his subjects had had a chance to see him.

1929 Tax Rate By-Law Given Final Passage

On the motion of Alderman R. A. C. Dewar, seconded by Alderman J. L. Mara, the 1929 rate by-law, setting forty-one mills as the tax rate for the current year in Victoria, was reconsidered, adopted and finally passed by the City Council, in special session at 6 o'clock last night at the City Hall. The tax rate is the same as prevailed in the city last year.

With the completion and final approval of the city's budget on February 28, the 1929 City Council has made history in striking the mill rate several months earlier in the year than ever before.

DR. J. G. SARGENT IS CONVICTED BY JURY

TACOMA, Wash., Feb. 28—Dr. J. Gilman Sargent, Centralia physician, was found guilty of violating the Federal Narcotic Act on all three counts against him when the verdict of the jury was read in the Federal Court here today.

DISPLAY SHOWS STEADY GROWTH

NORTH AND SOUTH SAANICH AGRICULTURAL SOCIETY ELECTS OFFICERS

Loses Services of Secretary After Association of Fourteen Years

The next annual exhibition of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society will be held September 17 and 18, it was decided at the annual meeting on Wednesday. The following officers were elected:

President, Mr. H. E. Tanner; first vice-president, Alexander MacDonald; second vice president, Fred Turgoose; third vice-president, Mrs. J. T. Harrison; finance committee, Messrs. R. D. Pope, J. M. Malcolm, and Fred Turgoose; auditors, J. R. Beoby and C. R. Wilson; secretary-treasurer, J. J. Young; pro tem., pending the appointment of a permanent secretary by the incoming committee: directors, E. Blackburn, C. H. Borden, E. E. Burton, A. Calvert, R. J. Holland, W. Kerner, George Little, J. M. Malcolm, W. J. Mitchell, George Mitchell, Chris Moom, Alexander MacDonald, J. A. Nunn, R. E. Nunnno, H. C. Oldfield, C. L. Pitman, G. Spencer, Arthur Wright, George M. Malcolm, Captain Babington, J. R. Beoby, R. Brydon and J. J. Young. Ladies on the directorate: Mrs. A. MacKenzie, Mrs. J. T. Harrison, Mrs. R. E. Nunnno, Mrs. F. Turgoose, Mrs. R. D. Pope, Mrs. L. H. MacQueen, Mrs. B. Deacon, Mrs. R. E. Tanner, Mrs. W. D. Michell, Mrs. W. McLean, Mrs. C. White-Birch, Mrs. H. Hughes, Miss Heyer, Miss Edith Frame, Miss J. Pitnering, Mrs. J. J. Walls and Mrs. Wilkinson.

Secretary Colin Cushnie presented the annual financial statement, showing a satisfactory balance.

Mr. J. R. Beoby, of Victoria, secretary of the Jersey Heifer Club, for the Island, gave an interesting talk on general agricultural statistics for Western Canada.

A cordial vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. R. Bryden for donation of a Highland dancing platform to the society.

Great regret was expressed at the retirement of Mr. Colin Cushnie from the secretaryship, which he has held for fourteen years. When he took office there were 800 entries, which have grown so fast as to exceed the accommodation of the building, and to force provision outside in the grounds. The committee expressed their appreciation of his service tangibly.

An Irishman got out of a train at a railway station and went in search of refreshments. The train left before he had finished his drink and came rushing down the platform, he yelled:

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$10,000 DAMAGES CLAIMED IN SUIT

Judgment Reserved to Action Here for Compensation for Death of Mr. Robert Grant Allison

Mr. Justice D. A. McDonald reserved judgment yesterday at the conclusion of the $10,000 damage action in the Supreme Court, for the death of Robert Grant Allison, which was launched by Agnes Cuthbertson Allison, executrix of the estate against Robert Waterhouse.

Mrs. Allison, the plaintiff, stated that on October 23, 1928, Mr. Allison was riding a bicycle north on Government Street and was about to turn into Discovery Street, when defendant's car, which was travelling south on Government Street, collided with her husband, throwing him from his bicycle. Allison died the same day through injuries sustained. Plaintiff claimed that the collision was caused through carelessness and neglect of defendant in the driving of his automobile.

The defendant denied negligence on his part and claimed that Allison's death was the result of an inevitable accident for which defendant was in no way responsible. He said Allison was operating his bicycle in a careless manner, with his feet off the pedals, and in such a manner that he was unable to control the wheel so as to avoid the collision.

Mr. Herbert W. Davey was counsel for plaintiff and Mr. J. M. McDonald, K.C., of Vancouver, represented the defendant.

A negro woman walked into an insurance office and asked whether they dealt in fire insurance.

"We do," a clerk replied. "What do you want insured?"

"Mah husband."

"They don't want that fire insurance," smiled the clerk, as he form. "What you want is a life insurance policy."

"No, Ah don't!" exclaimed the woman. "Ah wants fire insurance. Mah husband's been fired by times in de last two weeks."

Fascination of Oil Speculation Proved in City

Fortunes made in oil speculation are often the subject of allusion in financial stories, but Victoria has during the last few days broken into a large section of trading in the shares of the Associated Oil & Gas Company.

Mr. C. L. H. Branson, president of Branson, Brown & Company, during his recent Western business tour, was induced to visit the Turner Valley oil field, where he met friends whom he had known in Mexico. In the days when he was associated with the Pearson interests in that republic. It was then that he saw the Home Oil well come in of which much has since been written. He brought back 80,000 shares of the issue of 200,000 available in the Associated Oil & Gas Company, and sold them in Victoria at $1.25 per share.

There has been a material advance recently in this oil stock, and during the past few days a number of the holders of this stock have sold at from $3 to $4 per share, the clean-up being one of the most rapid of a notoriously fluctuating type of investment known on stock exchanges.

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MOTORIST PAYS HEAVY PENALTY

P. G. Campbell Is Fined $100 for Driving Automobile in Common Danger at Douglas St.

A fine of $100 was imposed by Magistrate George Jay in the city police court yesterday on P. G. Campbell on a charge of driving his automobile to the common danger. The charge to which the defendant pleaded guilty through counsel, Mr. Richard C. Lowe, was the outcome of a collision at the intersection of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street, at 6 o'clock on Wednesday night, when the motor cars of the defendant and Kenneth Scott came together. Both automobiles were considerably damaged.

Police Constables Percy Richards and Robert Ireland told the court that the defendant's car was travelling north on Douglas Street and that of Scott was going south on the same street. Upon reaching the intersection of Hillside Avenue the defendant's car is alleged to have cut across the corner towards the Gorge Road in a last-minute effort to avoid the other car. Scott is stated to have swung his machine to the left, but the vehicles sideswiped, each being damaged on the right-hand side with running boards smashed, fenders torn away and bodies dented.

Constable Richards said he was proceeding eastward along Gorge Road, near Carbally Road, when he noticed the two cars approaching him, traveling at a fast rate.

"I thought it was a race at first," he told the court. "But when I neared them the car in the rear slowed up and stopped, the driver shouting to me 'There goes a hit-and-run driver, get him.' I took after the accused along Gorge Road and caught him after he had turned at Tillicum Road and crossed the Gorge Bridge."

The accused then admitted he had side-swiped another car at Hillside Avenue, but thought he had only "nicked" it. Officer Richards said Richards took the accused to police headquarters.

On arriving at the scene of the accident, Constable Ireland said he found the Scott car had caught fire, which was being extinguished, by employees from the Union Oil gas station there. He learned the details of the accident and found a strip from an automobile running-board about a foot from the west side of the northbound street car track.

Ottawa Revenue For Year Will Be Near Half Billion

OTTAWA, Feb. 28—An estimated surplus of ordinary revenue over ordinary expenditure amounting to approximately $100,000,000 will, it is expected, be announced by Hon. J. A. Robb, Minister of Finance, when he makes his annual budget statement to the House of Commons tomorrow.

Ordinary revenue for the fiscal year will, it is expected, be estimated at between $420,000,000 and $450,000,000.

"So you got a smoker's set from your wife for Christmas. But, you don't smoke."

"No, but my wife does."

Independent Growers To Form Organization

VERNON, B.C., Feb. 28—About twenty attended a meeting of independent fruit growers, held in Kelowna Tuesday afternoon, which was called for the purpose in considering the formation of an independent growers' organization. A committee of three was named to proceed with that object in view as quickly as possible. W. C. Coe was chairman.

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Settlers Rights' Delegation to Receive Hearing

A delegation representing certain settlers of the Equimalt & Nanaimo Railway belt will be in the city today for the purpose of conferring with the Government respecting some features of the settlers' rights enactments, wherein it is asserted by them that there had been an oversight allowed. There is alleged to be certain of the settlers, who should be included among those obtaining redress, who have not yet been included.

The delegation will be headed by Mr. George Cassidy, from Cedar District. They will be introduced to the members of the executive by Mr. C. F. Davie, member for Cowichan-Newcastle.

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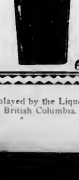

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DEFEAT OF SCHOOL BY-LAW

The defeat of the Technical School By-Law for the third time, and yesterday more decisively than ever before, indicates conclusively what is the taxpayers' will. It seems certain now that public opinion recognizes that the high school is congested because of conditions which can be remedied without a great outlay of money at this time. The property owners of Victoria are not satisfied that they should be contributing to the cost of the education of Saanich pupils at the high school. They do not believe that outside students, the children of parents who do not reside in or pay taxes in Victoria, should be educated at their expense. There is also the question of how far the "recommendation" system of entrance to the high school has contributed to the crowded conditions that prevail.

The duty of the School Board in the face of public opinion should be to proceed on the most practical lines to solve whatever problems exist. We are sure its members are sportsmen and will realize that there is absolutely no room for much of a display of philanthropy in the uses of free education, and that even the elasticity which now prevails in the system is abused. It may be that the time is at hand when Victoria will need more high school accommodation. If, however, this city is to continue to educate outside pupils the obvious solution of an equitable distribution of the cost would seem to be the establishment of a high school district.

The probability is that yesterday's vote will determine Saanich to erect a high school of its own. That will relieve Victoria's high school of nearly 300 pupils and effect a considerable saving to our taxpayers' pockets. The School Board, we feel sure, will be glad that this is an eventuality almost certain to arise out of yesterday's verdict. If that Board is interested in carrying on a campaign for a Greater Victoria in the future it will feel inclined to work for the high school district, in the educational advantages of which the residents of those communities, perhaps some day to be included in this municipality, would participate.

WASTING TIME

There is such a thing in the conduct of public business as can constitute waste of time of both the Legislature and the permanent officials of the Government. There are, often enough, obstructionist tactics on the part of the Opposition. There can be obstruction of business in a different way and from within the ranks of the Government supporters. We notice, for one thing, long streams of questions on the order papers from day to day dealing with matters that are dead and gone, with issues that may have had a political flavor at one time but which are now like the dodo—non est inventus.

It stands to reason that these streams of questions, the answers to which serve no useful purpose of any sort, mean a substantial waste of time for permanent officials of the Government, for ministers even, and this all at a time when all energies should be directed to carrying on the constructive business of the session. It is unnecessary to mention any names in this connection. The interrogator, or interrogators, can be discovered by anyone; it is a case of he that runs may read. The point is that the time for washing dirty linen has come by; it went on July 19 last when the Liberals were swept from power. Dr. Tolmie wants to start off with a clean slate so far as any restrictions are concerned. We are fully assured that he has no desire that any his supporters should be perpetually engaging in such reminiscence, and in the raking over of the dead ashes of the past. It all constitutes a waste of time when the Government is and most assuredly should be concentrating on the task of placing the province on a sound and prosperous footing.

Too many speakers, both in the Debate on the Address and in the course of the Budget Speech discussion, have wandered far wide of the mark. They have the licence to do so, it is true, but it is a licence that should be practised with discretion. We appeal to the members on both sides of the Legislature, now that so much leeway has already been taken advantage of, to adhere to business from now to the end of the session. More especially it seems desirable that many of the questions on the order paper, some of which are quite plainly in their character, should be stricken off by the consent of the questioners. If there is anything vital to be known it can always be ascertained through the various committees of the Legislature. As matters are, some of the questions on the order papers, and many of them standing in one name, and that of a Conservative member, are wholly futile so far as any good can result now from their being answered.

THE BEAUTIFUL

We, in the West, are a practical people and pick a supreme value on all that is useful, yet in our wiser moments we are influenced in our speech, dress and action by the thought of the beautiful. No matter what we profess, we admire a lady who is comely in appearance, a house that is clean and nicely kept, a book that is neatly bound, a manner that is simple yet attractive. Beauty compels adoration though it does not seek it. It allies itself with truth and goodness and is the handmaid of all true progress. Beauty of person is greatly to be desired. All the outward helps are legitimate if they can be attained without undue expense of time and money. "The skill of the manicurist, the cunning witchery of dress—most cunning and effective when it enjoys simplicity and neatness rather than extravagance and display—all these art at the disposal of the honest-minded woman."

The best means to beauty of person is the cultivation of beautiful qualities in the life. It is not possible for everyone to own rich furniture and handsome paintings, or to have splendid music. It is not possible for everyone to own even those little adornments of jewelry and lace and ribbons that do so much, when used in moderation, to improve appearance. One who has to make her own clothes and do her own housework, must of necessity do without some things. It is not the possession of beautiful things but the power to enjoy them that make the soul beautiful. You may remember old Tibbotson in "Prue and I," who, looking out at the broad, smiling acres of the capitalist, said, "And to think that I own them all!" When checked, he explained by saying: "Surely I own them all—all the beauty of shade and color. All that rich old Bourne owns is the dirt and bones and fences." So it is impossible for all to enjoy the beautiful and have it permeate their being. All can answer the poet's prayer: "Make me beautiful within."

By living with beauty we do not mean the set and ostentatious beauty of great art. We mean rather that there is an unconscious beautifying influence in the simpler things of every day. If only we open our ears to hear the music of the birds, the drift of the clouds, the tranquility of flowers, the twinkle of stars—these things impart a subtle and compelling influence to the faces of those who really live with them. That is what the poet means when he said:

"And beauty born of murmuring sound
Shall pass into her face."

Women who with charm, fill their souls with beautiful thought, and then they are charming indeed. The magic and the great worth of that charm is that it never grows old.

The Bishop of Durham says that Disestablishment of the Church of England is no longer a political issue of the first importance. The reason for his judgment to this effect is that the nation has outgrown the national establishment of religion so completely that most of the arguments by which in the past Disestablishment has been opposed have lost validity. "The scale of society is so greatly increased," he says, "that the ecclesiastical factor, which a few generations ago was dominant in the nation, has become quite unimportant."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B.C., at 8 p.m., February 28, 1929.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	.14	37	50
Vancouver	.10	40	48
Kamloops	Trace	38	54
Barkerville	.06	24	40
Estevan Point	.04	44	54
Prince Rupert	.30	38	44
Atlin		34	42
Dawson		22	32
Seattle	.10	40	44
Portland		40	50
San Francisco		50	72
Spokane		38	50
Los Angeles		48	70
Chicago		32	37
Vernon		25	37
Grand Forks		30	42
Nelson		17	39
Kaslo		20	42
Cranbrook		18	42
Calgary	(snow .30)	22	36
Edmonton		14	36
Swift Current		14	22
Prince Albert		8	24
Qu'Appelle	(snow, trace)	6	18
Winnipeg		16	26

FORECASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair and mild with occasional rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Light to moderate winds; generally fair and mild with occasional rain.

THURSDAY

Maximum	43
Minimum	40
Average	41
Minimum on the grass	38

Rain, .07 inch.

General state of the weather, cloudy.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.33; wind, S., 12 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 30.22; wind, E., 4 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 30.08; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 30.04; calm; fair.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.14; wind, S.E., 8 miles; raining.

Estevan Point—Barometer, 30.29; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.32; wind, E., 6 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.38; wind, W., 4 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.34; wind, S.E., 4 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.06; wind, W., 4 miles; clear.

AMERICA'S BEST CUSTOMER

During 1928, says a Washington dispatch, Canada was Uncle Sam's best customer. We bought goods from him to the value of $816,150,506.

We bought more goods from the United States than Russia, which has four times our population.

We bought twice as much as Germany, which has six times our population.

We bought four times as much as France, which has five times our population.

Every day, indeed, during the whole of 1928, Canada sent $2,236,000 across the line for United States goods. Two and one half millions a day.

What did the United States buy from us? The answer is that while ten million Canadians were buying nearly a billion dollars' worth of goods from the United States, one hundred and twenty million people in the United States bought only $488,000,000 worth of goods from Canada.

And that isn't all. Because while a tremendous part of the two and a half million dollars that went out of Canada each day to the United States was for manufactured goods, a great deal of which had provided work and wages for Americans, and which were sold at a rich profit—the profit which accrued to the United States bought from us was raw material, Canada the United States had to have.

The moral has been pointed a thousand times. But how long will it be before the Government of this country has the sense and the courage to act upon it?

—Ottawa Journal.

THE BREATH OF WHIN

I smell the whins in passing up the lane,
And years of childhood in a single minutes,
Swept through my beaven in a sweet and brain
Of butterflies and linnets.

I saw the fairies in the haunted dell,
The woodlands with their shadows bright and
misty;
I heard, on sunny banks the sweet blue bell
Tinkling music in the breeze.

A thousand images arose within—
Forgotten images, in childhood noted,
And all seemed sweeter for the long, long
That in the loaning floated.

—Robert Leighton in Poems.

People do not persist in their vices because they are not weary of them, but because their causes leave them off. It is the nature of vice to leave us to remove from itself.—William Hazlett.

Every person is responsible for all the good within the scope of his ability, and for no more; and none can tell whose sphere is the largest.—Dean Hamilton.

Every one desires to live long, but no one would be old.—Dean Swift.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Someone has sent us a clipping from The Vancouver Star telling of the experiences and imaginings of a lady who visited Great Britain and Canada because of listening to some of the programmes, broadcast by the British Broadcasting Co. Canada is considering the advisability and feasibility of establishing a national broadcasting system of its own, and doubtless that is the reason why the clipping was sent to us. There is a considerable amount of data bearing upon the subject. The commission will sit in Victoria next month, and we know that all persons interested in the matter in favor the members with the benefit of their experience and their views. We could not print the whole of the lady's words. Even if space permitted, although we know it would be read with a great deal of interest by the listeners-in of Victoria, because it is not experience in Britain, but experiences in Canada, that are sought by the commission. But here is a delightful pen-picture that we cannot refrain from reproducing. "Well, I had the memorable evening with him on of a recent visit to England the most vivid is that of a little Welsh village, quite unmodern. This is London calling.'

"It was the open sesame to a world of treasure, and the signal to draw my chair closer to the fire and settle down for a delightful evening. As always, in my mind's eye, I saw thousands of silver chairs drawn up to thousands of firesides almost at the same moment, thousands of pipes being filled and thousands of feet wriggling comfortably in cosy slippers. A slipper manufacturer told me that since the installation of the radio, his sales have almost doubled.

"Nothing has had a more beneficial effect upon home life in England than the B.B.C. (or British Broadcasting Corporation). Under the control of the government it broadcasts programmes of such infinite variety and outstanding quality that there is something to appeal to all tastes. The greatest treasures of music and literature are accessible to all. The poor man with his home-made set on one end of the table can take his choice of the fare that falls to the lot of his richer neighbor. And his choice is not so low-brow as you might think. But he has knowledge dished up in simple and digestible form. Fortunately the B.B.C. has control this."

Thus it would appear that the conservative and slow-going people of Great Britain are not so far after all. The British people realized early in the history of wireless broadcasting that there were potent possibilities in the intangible potentialities of the radio, and they hastened to take advantage of their opportunities. Hence the formation of the National Broadcasting system not only as an instrument of amusement and pleasure but as an educational institution in an academic sense and a patriotic sense. That is what we should have in Canada, and what all patriotic Canadians want to see shall be in Canada, as the result of the investigations and recommendations of the commission appointed by the national government.

But the institution of such a system will not be so simple as it may be in Canada as it was in Great Britain. Canada is a country of vast space and relatively scanty inhabitants inhabitated by a comparatively few people, and Canada is dominated to be the air and ether things by the great, rich and friendly country to the South. There is a great deal of broadcasting done in the United States. The air over that country is dominated by systems controlled by private concerns, which co-operate to some extent in broadcasting programmes. About ninety per cent of the air over Canada is dominated by the same companies. Listeners-in Canada depend to a corresponding extent for their pleasure, their amusement, and their education too, upon programmes which originate in a foreign country. It is not difficult to estimate the effect upon the plastic minds of young Canadians who probably compose the majority of listeners-in of what they hear over the radio.

The programmes of the American broadcasting stations as a rule are very good from a musical point of view. Some of them, indeed, are very very good. The programmes put out from New York every night by Walter Damrosch are exceptionally good, for Mr. Damrosch is not only a great musician and conductor, but a man of wide culture, and therefore an interesting announcer. But the good stuff that comes over the air is so mixed up with other stuff that is worse than rubbish, that no one can draw his chair up to the fire and hope for an evening of complete pleasure and satisfaction. For example, could anything be more irritating than an announcement by a far from musical voice that Mike Somebody or other will now sing "The Banks of Loch Le-Mond," or that Miss Somebody Else will sing "that old American folk song Annie Laurie?" The programmes are all free, of course, and perhaps we should not be too critical, but would it not be better to adopt the British system and pay a comparative trifle for what we receive than listen to long harangues about the merits of certain chewing gums, tooth pastes, potato picks, breakfast foods, or the advantages of riding upon specified steamships, railways or motor cars?

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In addition there is the crash and crackle of static interference which have not been eliminated by the. Few of the listeners-in in Canada are likely to experience the thrill of hearing London calling, but there is a possibility that some of us may hear the enunciation of the hearing Ottawa calling with the national voice.

WHEN A MAN'S OLD

Oh! it's hard on a man when he's old,
When his toes and his fingers are cold,
And all his desire
Is a seat by the fire;
Oh! it's rough on a man when he's old.

Oh! it's hard on a man when he's old,
He used to be fearless and bold,
But now all his care
Is a snug easy chair;
Oh! it's rough on a man when he's old.

Oh! it's hard on a man when he's old,
He has to do what he is told.
And like Peter to go
If he wants to or no;
Oh! it's rough on a man when he's old.

There's a city whose streets are of gold,
Which some day our eyes may behold;
It has raptures and rest,
But this is the best,
Its inhabitants never grow old!

—Thos. W. Gladstone.

108 Joseph Street, Victoria, B.C.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Aline Michaels

VIOLETS

I do not know how flowers win
elusier there
On Heaven's eternal fields,
Or what faint scents the rare
celestial air
In matchless fragrance yields.

Nor can I picture the sitheral
spring
That greets those timeless skies
Where birds of sweeter song in
brighter wing
Through bluer vistas rise.

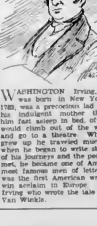
But this I know, though there the
soul forgets
All cares of former days,
If in those meadows bloom no
violets
One heart will mourn Earth's
ways.

One heart will dream of Mard
March winds again
That rove in fierce unrest,
Or voices heard in sudden showers
of rain
To gladden Earth's bare breast.

Wife (in a reflective mood)—Ah, if we only knew what the future has in store for us.

Hubby—Well, don't worry, dear. Whatever it is you'll get it at a bargain.

Jots From Literature



WASHINGTON Irving, who was born in New York in 1783, was a precocious lad. When his indulgent mother thought him fast asleep in bed, often he would climb out of the window and go to a theatre. When he grew up he traveled much and he began to write sketches of his journeys and the people he met, he became one of America's most famous men of letters. He was the first American writer to win acclaim in Europe. It was trying who wrote the tale of Rip Van Winkle.

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ALTHOUGH giraffes live in herds and seem to enjoy company, it is a very silent herd they lead. No songs, no cries, no glad chortlings over the good pasture.

For in spite of their long capable-looking necks, they cannot make a single sound because they have no vocal cords. If they should hurt one, it couldn't bellow. And during the mating season, the male giraffe has a The female giraffe chooses her mate rather quietly, too. Instead of his neck than the sound of his voice. However, he seems quite happy without it—and after all, it is the length of the neck that counts, in giraffe affairs.

The giraffe's neck is useful in a great many ways. It helps him, living as he does in the open country of Africa, to get a good view of the distant grassy prairies where enemies may be lurking, and for his food he lives.

It enables him to eat the fresh green leaves of the acacia tree and the tender shoots that grow on the trunk and branches, and it enables him to reach high up for the roughest hiktest leaves.

The giraffe is the mildest as well as the tallest among mammals. It survives because it does no harm to fields. At worst, it kicks out emphatically with its hind legs. But other than that it has no means of defence. It can only run—and run swiftly. More swift than a race horse and much more gracefully.

When the giraffe drinks he spreads his fore legs wide apart to get his head into the water. And it is in this position that he is often an easy prey to the lions and other enemies who like the delicate flavor of his flesh. The lion sneaks up on him, and before the giraffe's neck has long legs for flight, the beast has him.

The long upper lip of the giraffe, his small head, his long, billing tongue and his immense neck give him an almost comical look, and hundreds of years ago the Greeks and Romans used to capture him to make their parades more amusing.

The long-necked giraffe has a short-eared cousin, who lives in the forests where a long neck would be a nuisance, and where, in any event, it is unnecessary for use as a watch tower. The forest giraffe has adapted his body to the needs of forest life and he is much smaller than his open-country relative.—By Colin G. Wells, Ph.D.

Letters to the Editor

The letter to the Editor will be inserted never over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule is absolute and no exceptions.

THE OVERSEAS LEAGUE

Sir—Will you be so good as to grant me space in which to voice a very strong appeal to all members of the Overseas League to attend in their thousands a meeting which are held in Spencer's tea room on the first Monday of each month. The dwindling attendance has been a matter for great regret, and if each member would realize that his or her individual presence is a matter very vital to a league whose very essence is unity, I am certain that that branch of this league would be a very much stronger and—may I say it?—more blessed. Factor in our daily lives.

On Monday next the league is to have the very great privilege of meeting Major Ney, organizing secretary of the National Council of Education, speak on "Some Wandering Thoughts on Education, and other matters, and I am certain that members will need no persuasion from me to attend at this meeting. That they should keep it up throughout the year is the heart-felt wish of everyone who has the good of the league at heart.

PATRICK F. HOWDEN.

President, Victoria Branch, 333 Denman Road, Victoria, B.C., February 23, 1929.

BIBLE READING IN THE SCHOOLS

Sir,—I think this question should be looked at from the children's point of view, that is, how far an injustice is being done them by deprived of a daily Bible reading in the public schools.

It must be admitted that many children get little of no religious instruction in their home and do not attend a Sunday school, even where one is available, so that the only chance they have of knowing the Scriptures is in the daily public school. Sir Matthew Hale, in writing to one of his sons, said: "I would have you every morning read a portion of Holy Scripture, observe it well, read it reverently and attentively, set your heart upon it and lay it up in your memory, and make it the direction of your life. It will make you a wise and a good man. I have been acquainted somewhat with men and books and have had long experience in learning and in the world. I have in no book like the Bible for excellent learning, wisdom and love. It is a vault of understanding in them that think and speak soberly and wisely."

This is as true today as in the days of Queen Elizabeth. Our wages the benefit of daily reading of the Bible without comment. If, however, there are those who disagree, parents should be permitted to withdraw their children from the Bible lesson and still count the attendance.

I may say that I was for over twenty years a member of a school in England where the Bible was taught and the religious teaching was reported on yearly by the inspector, and I never remember any parent complaining of the teacher and not one withdrew a child from the Bible lesson, though it was permitted. It is obvious that such texts as "How can I do this great wickedness, and sin against God?" and "Thou, God, seest me," must help a child to overcome the temptations they all must meet.

In continuing to do this injustice to our children, are we but imitating the Scribes and Pharisees, who said: "It were better for him that a millstone were hanged about his neck and he cast into the sea, than that he should offend one of these little ones."

L. O. FAWKES.

Mayne Island, B.C., February 23, 1929.

JERUSALEM MOSLEMS DAMAGE TEMPLE WALL

JERUSALEM, Feb. 28.—A part of the wall of the Temple of the Jews, commonly known as the Wailing Place, which is the holiest place of Jews in Palestine have been in conflict, was destroyed by Moslems Tuesday. The Jewish community of Jerusalem lodged a protest with the authorities.

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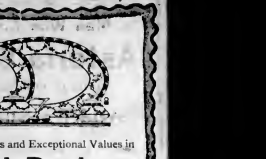

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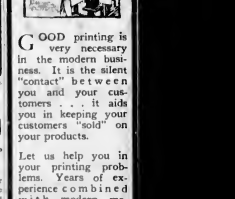

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COMPLETION OF P.G.E.R. URGED

Conservative Member for Cariboo Dabious About Results of Survey

Stating that he did not look for very much from the survey of the P.G.E. Railway by the C.N.R and C.P.R., Mr. R. Mackenzie, Conservative, Cariboo, in contributing to the debate on the budget at yesterday afternoon's session, urged the completion of the Pacific-Great Eastern Railway by the Government.

Mr. Mackenzie said the construction of this line to completion should be undertaken regardless of the survey, as it was most vital to the development of the province and the sale of the line.

Mr. Mackenzie said that the sectional indemnitier should be pared on a sliding scale. When asked by Mr. A. M. Manson where he would make these reductions, he replied that in so far as his own constituency was concerned he would not touch the indemnity; but he felt that the indemnity for the member from Omineca might well be eliminated. Laughter greeted this report.

Dealing with the marketing of bonds, Mr. Mackenzie said that his viewpoint on Government financing was not so much on how the money was obtained as it was on how the money was spent. In this regard he criticized the Sale Government for not getting full value for money spent by them.

A tethoo was parting a visit to a certain parish, and decided to address the children of the Sunday school. He had noticed many posters referring to the "Bishop's Visitation," and accordingly began his talk by asking the children the meaning of the word "Visitation."

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Obituary

JONES—The funeral of William Henry Jones will take place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 2 o'clock, arrangements being in the hands of the Typographical Union, of which the deceased was a member. Interment will take place in Royal Oak Burial Park.

STEWART—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth Stewart, widow of the late Duncan Stewart, will take place on Saturday at 2 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. W. A. Guy will officiate, and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park. Mrs. Stewart was born in Ireland, and had been a resident of this city for twenty-two years, latterly at 840 Bee Street.

LINEHAM—The funeral of Francis Bayless Lineham took place yesterday afternoon from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, where service was conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippreil, in the presence of a large number of friends. The hymns sung were "Nearer, My God, to Thee" and "Peace, Perfect Peace." Many beautiful floral tributes were received. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. R. Bayfrone, W. Martin, John Collins, G. Chambers, F. Lineham and B. Lineham. Interment was made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

COLES—The remains of Edwin Nelson Coles were laid to rest in Ross Bay Cemetery yesterday afternoon, service taking place at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, conducted by Rev. Dr. W. J. Sippreil. Two hymns were sung, "Onward Christian Soldiers" and "Safe in the Arms of Jesus." There was a large attendance and the floral tributes were numerous. Among those present were Mr. H. P. Thorpe and many members of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion and the service members of the T.B. Section. Mrs. J. J. Taylor represented the Women of Princess and Mrs. W. Chambers the Ladies' Branch of the Canadian Legion. The remains were carried to the cemetery on a gun carriage in charge of Sergt. R. R. Brown, of Work Point Barracks. The casket was draped with the Union Jack. A firing party from P.P.C.L.I., in charge of Sergt. J. L. Wasson, fired three volleys over the grave, and Sergt. A. A. Bates sounded the Last Post. The bearers were Messrs. W. A. Ray (T.V.A.), J. Walker (T.V.A.), E. Hoskins (T.V.A.), J. Cameron (Canadian Legion), W. P. Hamilton, J. T. Taylor and J. Barlett.

HAWTHORNE — There passed away at Resthaven, Sidney, on February 27, Albert Hawthorne, aged fifty-six years, born at Wolverhampton, Staffs., England. He had been a resident of the province for eighteen years, latterly on Galiano Island. Mr. Hawthorne was the first butcher to take a stall in the Victoria Public Market and was well known. He leaves his widow, one daughter and a son at Galiano Island; also a sister, Mrs. A. R. Aslionn; a brother, Arthur Hawthorne, in Victoria, and a brother, Jack, in England. The remains are at Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel and will be forwarded to Galiano Island on Saturday for interment.

'Alliance Francaise' Enjoy Literary Paper

The fortnightly meeting of L'Alliance Francaise was held on Wednesday afternoon, when Mrs. Archibald gave a paper on "Woman's Place in French Literature." Mrs. Archibald reviewed her subject from a early beginning of French women writers down to the present day. The discussion following it greatly enjoyed. Madame Wirt, president, of L'Alliance, thanked the speaker for a delightful afternoon.

The monthly meeting of the Lake Hill Community Centre will be held in the hall tonight at 8 o'clock.

The "Flu" Left Her With A Wretched Cough

Mrs. E. A. Brooks, 1164 Robson St., Vancouver, B.C., writes:—"Last winter I had the 'flu' twice, and the last time it left me with a wretched cough that seemed to stay right with me until I took Dr. Wood's Norway Pine Syrup. The first bottle I used seemed to relieve me so much I purchased the second and now, I find my cough has nearly left me. I shall certainly never be without a bottle of Dr. Wood's Pine Syrup in my house."

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TWO LEADING FIRMS WILL USE BLOCK

Messrs. Branson, Brown & Company and Messrs. Brett & Ker to Occupy Remodeled Building

BOTH NEED LARGER BUSINESS QUARTERS

Brokerage House Will Spend $65,000 in Remodeling Former Weiler Storehouse

The businesses of Branton, Brown & Company and Brett & Ker are to remove from the Central and Union Buildings, respectively, to the corner of Broad and Broughton Streets, to occupy, after remodelling, the former Weiler furniture showrooms.

Messrs. Branson, Brown & Company purchased the block this week, and have placed the project in the hands of an architect to prepare plans, and tenders will be invited when specifications are ready.

The chief feature of the reconstructed will be one of the largest exotation boards for stocks in the city, which is to be erected at the eastern side of the building, with access to both streets. It will be about ninety-five feet long, and be placed at the rear of the offices, which will be designed in an L-shape, leaving the corner for the business of Brett & Ker. It is expected that the offices of the Canada Trust and the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation, which are associated with that firm now will also be moved. These last-named institutions require adequate security vaults, and Mr. C. E. H. Branson, president of Branson, Brown & Company, in making the announcement says that a special feature will be made of such vaults in remodelling. In the boardroom a novelty is to be introduced, in the form of a ladies' gallery over the public area.

The building will cost about $65,000 to remodel, and will be ready for occupancy in July. Messrs. Branson, Brown & Company, who have been on their present site since 1923, are now building a new structure in the financial district at Vancouver, on Howe Street, to be opened May 15, for its Lower Mainland business.

The total area of the building to be reconstructed here is 6100 square feet, which gives that opportunity for expansion denied in the location at View and Broad Streets.

NEW ASSISTANT AT FIRST UNITED

Rev. J. G. G. Bompas Will Return to Missionary Work in China

By the joint action of the session and board of managers of First United Church, an assistant pastor has been engaged to take the place of Rev. J. G. G. Bompas, who is returning to missionary work in China. The expected assistant is Mr. Bruce Gray, who is graduating this Spring after a six years' course from Emmanuel College, Toronto, of which Dr. Gandier is principal.

Mr. Gray has been to the front in the student and general young people's life during his college course. For a period he was religious director for Rev. Dr. R. B. Laidlaw in Erskine Church, Toronto. For two years he was engaged by the Student Christian Movement in the United States, to visit the colleges and universities in the interests of the religious life of the students.

Mr. Gray saw service overseas, was made captain on the field and carries the M.C. for distinguished service. He is expected to arrive about May 1 and will immediately assume his duties.

C.N.R. Earnings

MONTREAL, Feb. 28. — Gross earnings of $18,177,000 for the month of January, 1929, are shown by the figures covering that period issued today by the Canadian National Railways. During the same month operating expenses amounted to $16,992,944 and net earnings of the system were $1,084,740. As compared with the same month of 1928 the figures for January this year showed decreases. Net earnings in January, 1928, were $2,321,011, against which the January 1929 net shows a decrease of $236,270.

NAVAL VETERANS

The general meeting of the Naval Veterans Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.L., will be held in the club rooms of the Britannia Branch, Johnson and Broad Streets, at 8 o'clock Friday, March 1.

It belonged to a party moving away. It was a great old Davenport, large in size but small in cost, but in comfort, but short on use to the other fellow. You'll find like "good buys" in the Want Ads. See Furniture for Sale. The Want Ads are the bargain counter of all ads.

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MAN DROPS DEAD WHEN AT WORK

Mr. Thomas Sherward, 1064 Marion Street, Stricken Yesterday in His Garden

Mr Thomas Sherward, landscape gardener, of 1064 Marion Street, dropped dead yesterday when working in his garden at Bowman Drive. The Oak Bay police were notified and after the body had been viewed by Dr. W. E. M. Mitchell, it was removed to the B.C. Funeral Parlors. Dr. E. C. Hart, city coroner, said last night that there is little possibility of an inquest being held, as it is assumed Sherward died from natural causes.

Chief Byrnes, of the Oak Bay police, is seeking information as to the whereabouts of relatives of the dead man.

FARM LAND LOANS

Late Premier Comes Here in Capacity of Commissioner Under Statute

Dr. J. D. MacLean, former Premier of this Province, now the Commissioner of the Farm Lands Loans for the Dominion, is in the city. He will spend a little time with his family here, at the same time conferring with the provincial authorities in the matter or organizing the Province for the bringing into effect of the operations of the act here.

The Province has already approved of the plan, and it only awaits the organization to start the necessary machinery to permit of taking out of loans.

The provinces that have decided to come under the provisions of the act are: Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Quebec, Manitoba, Alberta and British Columbia.

THE BOARD'S ORGANIZATION

"The Canadian Farm Loan Board was created as the result of legislation passed by the Dominion Government in 1927," Dr. MacLean said. "Its purpose is to provide for long term loans to farmers on first mortgages on their property and at a comparatively reasonable rate of interest. The loans may extend over a period of thirty-two years at 6½ per cent interest rate, but can be repaid at any time within that period.

"The repayments are on an amortization plan by which a certain equal annual payment is made and at the end of the thirty-two years the whole loan is repaid. Similar schemes, but profitable in scope, are in effect in Ontario, Saskatchewan and Manitoba and in each of these provinces loans totaling from $18,000,000 to $20,000,000 have been made.

"Similar schemes are in effect as in the national loaning organizations in New Zealand, Australia, the United States, and in many European countries.

A MORTGAGE COMPANY

"The act of 1927 may be said to have provided for the establishment of a new mortgage company in Canada, with the head office in Ottawa and one branch in each of the participating provinces, but restricted to loaning on farm property.

"The board of directors consists of four members. The honorary chairman, who is the Minister of Finance for Canada, the commissioner, Beverley Lennan, general manager of the Canadian Bankers' Association, E. C. Drury, former Premier of Ontario. The commissioner may be said to be the general manager of the company.

"The local branches are administered by a provincial director and two associate directors in each. These persons are nominated by the Provincial Government, and the nominations must be approved and their appointment made and their salaries or remuneration paid by the Federal board.

INTEREST RATES

"The funds are provided as follows:

"First, the Dominion Government loans $5,000,000 to the Farm Loan Board without interest for three years, and after that date at 1 per cent interest.

"Second, the board issues capital stock which shall be subscribed for as follows: at 5 per cent by the Dominion Government for all loans in Canada, but 5 per cent of all loans in any participating province by the Government of that province.

tol 5 per cent by each farm borrower.

"When a certain amount of this capital has been loaned, then the board issues and sells bonds on the above security and on the security of the farm mortgage and the proceeds are available for further loans.

"The interest rate on the face of the mortgage shall be 6½ per cent, but the act is so drafted that with economy of operation in any province, this rate, through the accumulation of profits to the shareholders, might be reduced to the borrower.

"The first step in connection with the initiation of the scheme in this province is the nomination by the Provincial Government of the local board. If the nominees are approved by the Federal board, the appointments will automatically follow.

"Following these appointments, the board will proceed to arrange for selling up the machinery for loaning."

Col. Hamersley Rugby Pioneer At Vancouver

Col. A. St. G. Hamersley, K.C., O.B.E., of Ryeste Park, Wheatley, Oxfordshire, news of whose death in England was received here this week, had many friends in this country. An old international Rugby player—he played for England four times and was captain in 1874—he had the credit of starting the game in Vancouver and also in Canterbury, N.Z.

He was called to the English Bar in 1873 and practised law in both New Zealand and Canada. He was legal adviser for some time to the corporation of the city of Vancouver, and also to the Canadian Pacific Railway.

Colonel Hamersley was a distinguished artillery officer. He recruited and trained the 136th, 132nd, 135th and 136th Oxfordshire Heavy Batteries for service overseas in the Great War, was made commanding officer of a heavy artillery group and served in France in 1917.

"Many mosquitoes weigh a pound," the smart pupil had written in an essay.

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Argood Orange Marmalade, 4-lb. tins 46c
Fels-Naptha Soap, 10 bar cartons 73c
Skipper Sardines, the finest packed, 2 tins for 35c
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Quick Naptha Soap Flakes, 2 cartons for 25c

Western Toilet Paper, 8 rolls to package. Per package 24c

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St. John Ambulance Work In Dominions Is Surveyed

Sir John Hewett, Distinguished Indian Official, Arrives Here With His Daughter, Mrs. St. John Atkinson

Representing the Grand Priory of the Hospital of St. John of Jerusalem in England, as Bailiff of Egle, Sir John Hewett, G.C.S.I., accompanied by his daughter, Mrs. St. John Atkinson, arrived here on the liner Niagara last evening. They have just completed an official tour of the jurisdictions in Australia and New Zealand, Sir John surveying the conditions of ambulance work and work, while his daughter, who is a dame of the order, personally examined the nursing sisterhoods of the Commonwealth and Dominion.

Sir John expressed his appreciation of the reception accorded to him in the Dominion and the view that the work had made steady progress in recent years.

Mrs. Atkinson believes that for a new country, St. John Ambulance work is remarkably advanced. As a result of the visit there have been dormant issues revived in Tasmania, and in the goldfields of Western Australia. The ambulance services in the back blocks, particularly in Queensland, deserve appreciation, and can give many points to countries where transportation is better organized.

Sir John and his daughter go south to visit at Santa Barbara Cal., and will then cross the continent en route home. He has had a long career in India over a long time, his last post being that of Lieutenant-Governor of the United Provinces of Agra and Oudh, 1907-1912.

Studying Market Here for Welsh Coal

SIR ALFRED COPE

Who is credited by Lloyd George with having solved Irish election. Has been visiting Canada to study the market here for Welsh coal.

OPERATIC TENOR MAN OF HOBBIES

Would Have Palestine Made Dominion

Tito Schipa, Internationally Famous, Singer, Giving Recital at Royal Theatre Tonight

People who harbor the delusion that Italians do not affect sport or out-of-door games should have a few minutes' conversation with Tito Schipa, the internationally-known operatic tenor who is to give a recital tonight at the Royal Victoria Theatre under the auspices of the Ladies' Musical Club.

Last evening at the Empress, just before starting for the local moving house, where his old friend Jack Holt is appearing this week in "Submarine," he told The Colonist something about his hobbies, outside the realm of music. Swimming, golf, it was discovered, are two of his principal pastimes when he is not singing. A stern "boss" with a twinkling glance in the direction of Miss Storm, who has been the manager for his western tours for the past seven years, he admits that of this kind during his concert season. He might catch cold, and that, of course, would not do, although in the natural course of events he occasionally does fall victim, just like everybody else to a cold or grippe.

What did he take in lieu of golf and swimming, then? People did not realize how important that was: most people act too much when he was not playing games he had only one big meal a day, of course when the Summer holiday came and he joined his wife and little daughter at their California home in the Beverley Hills he could exercise healthily and enjoy two really good meals every day.

HAS MANY HOBBIES

But he is a man of many hobbies and versatile interests. He had also his accompanist this season, Mr. Longas, is Spanish.

One of his surprising admissions is that he never practices singing. His entire routine in training vocal technique he considers he finished when he completed his training for opera. Now his studying of new songs and his opera and concert work gives him all the vocal exercise he needs, he considers. When he is in one he never rehearses in a concert. Sometimes he does not sing a note for three, four or five days, while traveling. Once during a two-month rest in Italy, he sang his voice a complete holiday.

LIKES CONCERT FIELD

While most of his public measure him by his reputation in opera, Mr. Schipa himself prefers the concert field.

"In this one is alone; one's personality can be better known. And there is no prima donna no jealousy." he supplemented with a remindsweet laugh. Even in his concert programme, however, he prefers singing songs classical and modern alike, to operatic arias. The classical song he maintains, is a really difficult thing to sing and shows the very highest artistry if done well. He was anxious to emphasize at this point that any young artist who aspired to the operatic field must first of all possess voice, after that talent, and temperament. "It" and a fine voice capacity for work.

He stated that he had already received a request to sing as one of his encores tonight, one of his own compositions, "I Shall Return," the words of which were given to him by a lady in Toronto.

From Victoria he will go South, again to California and other parts of the States before continuing his Canadian tour. His North America, Canadian and U.S. tour will end in New York and on April 1 he is to sail for Oslo and after that for Naples, where he is due to appear in a short opera season. Next year he is to go to Spain, where he has not sung since 1918.

His little daughter, Elena, has the musicality distinguished godparents Galli Curci bring her godmother, and Tito Ruffo, her godfather.

Clerk—Or—I suppose, if you could raise my salary, sir?

Employer—Confound it! Don't I get in ten hours here every day quarring it?

COL. JOSIAH WEDGWOOD

A movement has been launched in England to make Parliament take part of the British Empire, as a memorial to Colonel Josiah Wedgwood, who died twenty-four hours after his nomination as grandee by the Labour of Stoke-on-Trent. Colonel Josiah Wedgwood, M.P., is one of the leaders of the movement.

"Hengland Eggspects . . ."

Knight-Errant Walter Guinness (British Minister of Agriculture): "Lay (Under the Marketing and Trading Act, which has now come into force, the producers of eggs in Ontario, Canada, will be empowered to open the British egg industry to all comers. No less a sum than £16,000,000 is spent on imported eggs.)

ROTARY HEARS LIVELY DEBATE

Ex-Mayor Carl Pendray and Ex-Reeve McGregor Discuss City Versus Municipality

The Rotary Club is to be congratulated upon the happy result of its decision to have a discussion on the relative advantages to each other of city and municipality, at a time when feeling is running high upon this subject. Yesterday at the luncheon meeting of the club held in the Empress Hotel ballroom, Ex-Mayor Carl Pendray and Ex-Reeve of Saanich George McGregor were speakers in a semi-humorous debate in which a welcome lack of bitterness marked the equal indicating factor.

Speaking for the city of Victoria, Mr. Pendray contended that the city had built roads into the hearts of the surrounding municipalities which has been designated as arterial highways. Down these highways and into the city of Victoria poured the cars of municipal residents who earned their living in the city. Automobiles driven by citizens of Victoria were refused a seat at the intersections to give right-of-way to municipal drivers, and the city, at the same time, spent up a police force to see that the municipal drivers are that this was enforced.

SPEAKS OF HOSPITAL

The city, continued Mr. Pendray, had contributed $200,000 for the building of the Jubilee Hospital, at the point $30,000 annually for its upkeep. It was true that municipalities paid seven cents per patient per diem, but they still had an advantage. In connection with the hospital Mr. Pendray in passing paid a high tribute to the work and enthusiasm of Mr. McGregor.

Of the $4,000,000 capital invested in the city water supply, went on the speaker, not five cents had been contributed by the surrounding municipalities. Up till just recently the city fire department had unrewarded calls to outlying districts free of charge. Only Bay it was true, contributed $8,500 a year for fire protection, but this was only a third of what it would cost them were they to operate their own fire department.

Another point brought out by Mr. Pendray was that the city maintained and operated a large annual agricultural exhibition at a high cost. The Oak Bay Municipality, he pointed out, charged the city with taxes on the Willows fair ground to the tune of $4,000 per annum.

SUMS UP POINTS

In summing up, the speaker characterized the city as "the fairy godmother to the surrounding municipalities," and pointed out that the solution of the problem was a Greater Victoria, provided the municipalities were willing to pay their fair share of the cost in proportion to the advantages which they now enjoy at the expense of the city.

In a spirited response, Mr George McGregor said he remembered the time when Oak Bay had to incorporate in order to get water to drink. With regard to the Saanich water question he said that during the time he was in office as reeve of that municipality, a private corporation had offered to supply Saanich with water at the cost of four cents a gallon. Out of loyalty to the city, however, he had advocated connection with the Victoria water supply at the cost of six cents a gallon, but the same.

"My opponent talks about roads," said Mr McGregor. "Saanich really made the roads for the city, and I was the man who did the work. As regards these roads, where do you go for your drives on Sunday but along the Saanich roads? Speaking of Mr Pendray's reference to police protection, the speaker said that Saanich did not need it since it was without a tough element.

The Jubilee Hospital, he said, had cost $600,000 to build, of which the city had only contributed one-third. The board of directors had collected the balance.

"The city has not been adopting a right policy towards the municipalities," said Mr McGregor, "and some of the speeches which came from Victoria are calculated to hurt. The city should get down to brass tacks and attempt to find a reasonable remedy."

Announcements

Annual Meeting—Harry Lauder, Victoria Branch, Empress Ballroom, Saturday, March 2, 8 p.m. Election of officers and social. All interested invited.

Miss Hannam (Certificated Specialist, London, Eng.), Twenty years experience in the treatment of disfigurements. Recommended by the medical profession. Consultation free. Phone and free of obligation. 848 Sayward Building.

"Women's Canadian Club," Tuesday, March 5, Empress Hotel, lower lounge, 3 to 5 p.m. J. C. Cameron, bell, National Parks of Canada. Illustrated address.

Rummage Sale—St. M. B. Baptist Chapter, Hampshire Road Hall, corner Cranmore Road, Saturday, 2 p.m.

City & District

Health Refer—Mr. Samuel N. Reid, Dominion immigration agent at Victoria, is reported to be making favorable progress after his recent illness.

To Visit Europe—The Session of First United Church last night gave their minister, Rev. Dr. D. G. Wilson, a leave of absence for four or five months at a modest honorarium, during which he expects to visit Europe.

Permit Taken Out—City Building Inspector James Hart issued a permit yesterday at his City Hall to Mr P. C. Wylie for the construction of a three-roomed stucco dwelling and garage at 1828 Lillian Road, at an estimated cost of $2,500.

Bank Clearings—Clearings for the week ending yesterday were $2,423,290 at the Victoria Clearing House, compared with $7,587,670 in the corresponding week of 1928. Clearings for February were $12,875,315, compared with $12,887,487 in the corresponding month of 1928.

ESQUIMALT BOARD

Trustees Hear of Work of Social Service League

At the meeting of the Esquimalt School Board held last night in the Lampson Street School, the work of the Social Service League in organizing Summer camps was told.

It appeared that the Committee appointed by the league had purchased three acres of land at Sooke, and was now undertaking a campaign to raise $6,000 for the building of a camp for children and their parents. The board was asked that a box, labeled "Sooke Sunshine Camp," should be placed in each school of Esquimalt.

The board granted the request on the distinct understanding that there should be no direct canvassing from the children in connection with the matter.

The report from the Esquimalt High School showed that the school was able to be kept open during the present cold weather, although the attendance during the month of January was very greatly cut into. From among fifty-four applicants for the post of teacher in this school, the board decided in favor of Joseph Wood, of Esquimalt.

ONE ELECTRICAL INSPECTOR ASKED

Oak Bay Decides to Approach City to Get One Official for Greater Victoria

The Oak Bay Council yesterday decided to approach the city with the idea of appointing one electrical inspector to cover Greater Victoria. Esquimalt is understood to be in favor of the appointment, while Saanich remains non-committal.

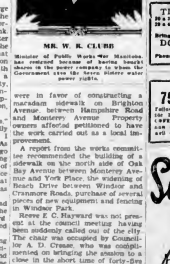
It was stated that the present plan of the Oak Bay boathouse, Winter storms having taken their toll of the binding stage supports.

After investigation, councillors were in favor of constructing a macadam sidewalk on Brighton Avenue, between Hampshire Road and Monterey Avenue. Property owners affected petitioned to have the work carried out as a local improvement.

A report from the works committee recommended the building of a sidewalk on the north side of Oak Bay Avenue between Monterey Avenue and York Place, the widening of Beach Drive between Windsor and Cranmore Roads, purchase of several pieces of new equipment; and fencing in Windsor Park.

Reeve E. C. Hayward was not present at the council meeting having been suddenly called out of the city. The chair was occupied by Councillor A. D. Crease, who was complimented on the fine showing he made in the short time of forty-five minutes.

Minister Resigns From Cabinet



MR. W. A. CLUTTE

Minister of Public Works—Mr Clutte, who resigned his portfolio in the Liberal cabinet in the power question.

Mayland Oil

CALGARY, Feb. 28—All shareholders of the Mayland Oil Company, who are registered on March 18 will be entitled to buy two shares for each in the company at the rate of $1 each for every five shares they hold.

This was the decision made at a meeting of directors held last evening. The directors decided to increase the capitalization from $200,000 to $500,000.

Mayland has a well in the Turner Valley gas struck, Dalhousie and is a depth of 3,917 and drilling is continuing.

A boy of twelve, with an air of melancholy resignation, went to his teacher and handed in the following note from his mother before taking his seat:

"Dear Sir—Please excuse Jim for not being present yesterday. He played truant, but you needn't whip him for it, as the boy he played truant with and him fell out, and he licked James, and a man they threw out of a cat they chased licked him. Then I licked him when he came home, after which his father licked him, and I had to give him another for being impudent to me so you need not lick him until next time."

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21820—Where the Shy Little Violets Grow, Johnny Marvel, Comedian.
21815—I'd Rather Be Blue, Fanny Brice, comedienne
3051—Rigoletto (Weep My Child), Galli-Curci and Giuseppe de Luca.
1358—Es Blinkt Der Thau, Fritz Kreisler.
6876—Lucia (Tomb of My Sainted Fathers), Beniamino Gigli.
1363—Tristan und Isolde (Isolde's Love-Death), Maria Jeritza
35947—Fantasia (Mozart), Dr. Harold Drake, organist
120826—Brabanconne, Orchestre Royal des Guides Halges.
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Women's Activities

Women's Clubs and Societies

Jubilee Hospital W.A.

The monthly meeting of the Jubilee Hospital W.A. was held on Wednesday in the Nurses' Home, when all outstanding bills were ordered paid and arrangements made for the tag day which is to be held on April 6. It was moved and seconded that $200 be spent on new towels, counterpanes, also for replenishing the cupboard with sewing materials, flannel, flannelette, etc. A cheque for $100 from Mrs. Dunsmuir, used mainly for Christmas cheer, was acknowledged. A letter of thanks was received from the nurses for Christmas cheer. It was suggested that crestonac be bought for new covers for the chesterfield and chairs in the sunroom, and that six new strong chairs be bought for use in the nurses' reception-room. The president, Mrs. Rhodes, was in the chair.

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Anniversary Concert

The Oak Bay United Young People's Society are planning an interesting programme for their forthcoming anniversary concert, to take the place of the annual dinner on Monday, March 11. Several well-known artists have promised to assist the young people in their efforts to make a large contribution to the maintenance and missionary fund of the United Church of Canada. Tickets may be obtained from any member of the society or at the door. Oak Bay United Church.

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St. Columba's W.A.

The W.A. Branch of the Church of St. Columba held its February meeting in Strawberry Vale Hall on Monday. Deaconess Sunoco gave an address on her visit to Palestine and described scenes in the Holy Land closely connected with Christ's life. Mrs. Deane Cox and Mrs. Rowlands were hostesses for afternoon tea.

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Frances Willard W.C.T.U.

The Frances Willard W.C.T.U. will hold a parlor meeting at the W.C.T.U. Home, Ida Street, today at 3 o'clock. Rev. Henry Knox will be the speaker.

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Commodore Broughton Chapter

The Commodore Broughton Chapter, I.O.D.E., will meet on Monday afternoon at 3 o'clock in the I.O.D.E. rooms, Union Building.

Brentwood Personals

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Moore and son, who have been the guests of Major and Mrs. G. H. McQueen for the past week, returned to their home in Calgary on Tuesday.

Mr. H. L. Helmer, West Road, has returned home after spending several months in California.

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Rev. Montague Bruce has returned to his home at Mount Newton, after a three months' trip to England.

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The residents of the district will be sorry to learn of the death of Mr. F. Linehan, a former respected resident.

Lake Cowichan News

The many friends of Mrs. T. Atkins, of the Lakeside Hotel, will be very sorry to hear that she is a patient in the Duncan Hospital.

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Early on Monday morning Mr. J. Greenway received the sad news that his mother, Mrs. Greenway, of Nanaimo, had passed away. The sympathy of the district is extended to Mr. and Mrs. Greenway. Mr. and Mrs. J. Greenway, Miss Emily Greenway and Miss Alma Rogers have left for Nanaimo to attend the funeral.

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Wife to husband who has spent many hours clearing pain—"You've done that very nicely, George. Now you'd better relax. Make a snowman or something if you like."

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FOR sports the Tweedy fabric is the most fashionable material indicative of Spring. Tweeds cover a wide range of novelties in weaves to such an extent that the name is about the only thing left of the old type. Real tweeds are beyond the grasp of the majority of those who must scan the clothes budget with a judicious eye.

Tweeds are so varied that they answer to the requirements of both a sports and a rather dressy material. Monotones have pajamas so worked out in self color that they achieve the effect of a plain weave. Then there are the colorful tweeds.

Designers show a preference for the tweed coat without fur, making good use of the scarf as a neck finish or completing the coat with a saucy little cravat of fur. If you are of a mind to spend your fur allowance during the season when furs are a necessity the self scarf is one of the smartest you can select.

Two shades of the same color are worked out in the centre model of English tweed, widely bordered around the bottom and down the front, the border edging the sleeves and forming the scarf faced in the plain material. Such a coat will be the nucleus of many a striking costume for Spring accompanied by a clever bright colored frock.

An alliance of two distinct fabrics is the keynote of charm in this coat at the left, the material being a novelty tweed cut on simple lines with emphasis placed on the pocket detail and a self tone scarf trimmed with a strip of crepe de Chine.

Curacal bands soften the lines of the third model cut after the fashion of the tuxedo.

Women's Institutes of Vancouver Island

WEST SAANICH

The West Saanich Women's Institute held its usual fornightly five hundred party on Wednesday evening with twelve tables engaged in play. First prizes were won by the following: Mr. and Mrs. Fox, Mrs. Roberts and Councillor L. C. Hagan. Two tables tied for second prize, which went to Mrs. Clow, Miss Anne Parnell, Mr. Lacouniere and Mr. H. Rousinee. At the close of the game refreshments were served by the ladies. The next game will be on Wednesday evening, March 13.

VICTORIA

The members of the Victoria Women's Institute are having their social this afternoon at their rooms, 203 Union Building, View Street, at 3.30 o'clock, when a sewing machine demonstration and movie film will be the features. The hostesses are Mesdames Brown, Laird, Kirchin and Bleaken.

Keating Personals

Miss Edith Bickford, a popular bride-elect, entertained her girl friends at a trousseau tea at her home, Tod Inlet Road, on Tuesday evening. Those present were Mesdames W. D. Mitchell, Willard Mitchell, H. Sherring, O. Bickford, W. Bickford, J. Patterson, W. Bate, and Misses Doris and Margaret Mitchell, Edith Bickford, Gladys Tanner, Nellie Sloan, Ora Young, Grace and Mabel Miller, Violet McNally and Blanch and Janet Sherring.

Mr. Colin Blaine, of Seattle, was a visitor at the home of Mr. D. Russell, Cliffs Crossroad, over the week-end.

TRAFFIC IN DRUGS APPARENTLY LESS

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—Amendments to the Opium and Narcotic Drugs Act, to provide for the deportation of aliens convicted of trafficking, have had a salutary effect. Convictions have dropped from 1,249 in 1923 to 345 last year.

Point of Procedure

A ruling was given in the House last evening by the Speaker with respect to the matter that came up the day previous, and which had reference to the point of whether it was necessary to give notice of motion for the adoption of the report of a select committee.

Hon. J. W. Jones said that he found that only when it was consented to by the House that the rules should be suspended and the report adopted was this possible. If the point were challenged it was necessary to go through the regular course of notice of motion.

ONWEGOS ENJOY SOCIAL EVENING

The Onwego Young Men's Bible Class of the First United Church held its monthly business and social get-together on Friday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. Wagg, Chestnut Avenue, Mr. Holman, social chairman of the class, having prevailed on Mrs. Wagg, his sister, to loan the group their home for the occasion. A good turnout of members was there.

The meeting opened with the usual business, with the president, Mr. John Taylor, in the chair. Mr. Jack Taylor, membership chairman, sounded an optimistic note regarding the membership of the group, stating that new Onwegos were being lined up all the time. He welcomed three new members to the class—Mr. William Speed, Mr. A. Morton and Mr. Douglas Smith. They responded with short speeches. An old Onwego, Mr. Gordie Hobson, was welcomed back into the class again after a year's absence due to serious illness.

One important piece of business was discussed—that of appointing a member from the Onwegos on one of the boards of civic bodies of the city.

Mr. R. O. Howell, veteran and popular leader of the group, remarked on the out-of-town membership of the Onwegos, he is keeping in touch with some three hundred fellows, who are scattered all over Canada, and a good many in the United States. He stated the aim of the class was to take in a three-fold programme—social, spiritual, and intellectual—and considering the number of Onwegos engaged in Sunday school work, debating teams, etc., he felt they were keeping up the Onwego standard in every way. The present Sunday morning study period is being devoted to problems of young men as viewed in the light of New Testament teaching.

Mr. Dick Helman announced that the next social gathering would be held in March at the home of the newly-married membership chairman, Mr. Jack Taylor. The balance of the evening was spent in games, contests, singing, etc. Refreshments were served by Mrs. Wagg.

Famous Professor of Anthropology Dies

SIR BERTRAM WINDLE

Professor of Anthropology, renowned all over the American continent for his knowledge of ancient races and customs, who passed away suddenly. Sir Bertram was a professor at St. Michael's College, Toronto.

Mr. P. Pocock Dies

LONDON, Ont., Feb. 28.—Philip Pocock, president of the London Shoe Company and prominent in civic affairs for nineteen years, died today after a short illness. He was seventy-four years old.

With the introduction of hydro in 1910 he became a member of the Public Utilities Commission and throughout Western Ontario was recognized as second only to the late Sir Adam Beck as a supporter of the Ontario hydro-electric system.

Mr. Pocock was a director of the Huron & Erie Mortgage Corporation, director of the Canada Trust Company, vice-president of the London & Petrolia Barge Company, and vice-president of the Dominion Fire Insurance Company.

Although Captain Malcolm Campbell, the famous motoring expert, is ordinarily one of the mildest-mannered of men, he can be somewhat sarcastic when occasion demands. He once found fault with a railway station buffet pork pie, and complained to the manager. Bustling up immediately, that worthy began by saying:

"This young lady tells me that you are making complaints about the quality of the pork pies sold here. Let me tell you that these pies are made under my personal supervision, and let me tell you, too, sir, that I made pork pies before you were born."

"Yes," continued Campbell quietly, "and this was one of them."

Birthday Of Post No. 3 Is Celebrated

The Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3, celebrated their eighth birthday on Tuesday evening at the Alexandra Club, Campbell Building, when a large number of charter members were present. In the absence of the chief factor, the chair was taken by the vice-factor, Mrs. B. Stapleton.

The post was honored by the visit of the grand factor of the Native Daughters of British Columbia, Miss K. Wilson, who congratulated the post on its work for the past eight years and pointed out greater objectives for the future.

The following new members were initiated: Mrs. W. Champion, Mrs. Ina B. Tait, Mrs. W. Kinsman, Mrs. A. G. Nicholas, Mrs. E. Kilsman.

A hearty vote of thanks was moved by Past Chief Factor Mrs. H. A. Beckwith, and seconded by Miss Mildred Chrow, to Miss Wilson, following which she was presented with a leather-bound bridge set. During the serving of refreshments, a birthday cake, bearing eight candles, was cut by the guest of honor.

Takes Over Business

Mr. R. Charles Gordon, for seven and a half years head of the fur department of the Hudson's Bay Company here, commences today his duties as manager of the new store of W. Cohen Fur Company, Ltd. (Winnipeg), to be located at 615 Granville Street, Vancouver.

Mr. Gordon has been in the fur business all his life, coming to Victoria from the Winnipeg house of Holt, Renfrew, where he had an all-round training in the furrier's occupation.

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"Johnny," said the minister, "I'm shocked to hear you swearing. It is a very naughty habit. Why, every time I hear a person swear a cold chill runs down my back."

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Social and Personal

Personals, Parties Visitors

Children's Party

Raymond Grant, son of Dr. and Mrs Grant, entertained a few of his young friends yesterday afternoon on the occasion of his seventh birthday. The children had an enjoyable time playing games. The feature of the afternoon was a song and dance by Raymond entitled "Little Boy Blue." The piano accompaniment was played by Charles Topp. The invited guests were Charles Topp, James McKay, Frankie Halls, Charlie Armstrong, Dickie Stokes, Freddie Sanford, Horace Phillips, Billie Todd, Benning Monk and Victor Brackel.

Students Give Recital

Piano pupils of Mrs. MacGovern were heard in recital at her studio last evening before an audience of parents and other friends. The programme consisted of piano solos, piano duets, vocal numbers, all given by the students. Those taking part were: Mary Thompson, Kathleen Brown, Jean Galloway, Beth Taylor, Doreen Mills, Pearl Redknap, Lovias Jansen, Christine Schmelis, Flora Campbell, Thora Harrison, Vera Jeune, Ellen Milligan, Robert Taylor, Wilfred Wesley and Luther Jansen.

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Tea at Hotel

The social tomorrow afternoon, during the tea hour at the Empress Hotel, will be Miss Mary Pratten James, who will shortly leave for her home in Winnipeg. She will also sing in the lounge of the hotel on Sunday evening.

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Leave for South

Mrs. J. B. McIlree, her little son, John, and her sister, Mrs. Edward Clarke, of Vancouver, and her children, have left to spend a month at La Jolla, California.

Farewell Party

In farewell to Miss C. Alexander, who will leave for England tomorrow Mrs. Curtis Sampson entertained at the tea hour yesterday afternoon at her home on Newport Avenue.

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At Empress Hotel

Mrs. Genevieve Lippett-Skinner and Miss Mary Lippett, of Montreal, are guests at the Empress Hotel. They will leave for Los Angeles on Sunday morning on the Emma Alexander.

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Leaves for Rochester

Dr. Hermann Robertson has left for Rochester, Minn., to visit the Mayo clinics. He will also spend some time in Chicago, and expects to be away for about three weeks.

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Tea Hostess

Mrs. Charles W. Rhodes entertained yesterday afternoon with mah jong in honor of Mrs. Frank A. Bennett, of Vancouver.

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At Empress Hotel

Lieutenant-Colonel and Mrs. L. Irving, of Renfrew, Ontario, are visitors in the city and are registered at the Empress Hotel.

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Back From Honolulu

Mr. and Mrs. Lionel W. Huntington, of Cowichan Bay, returned on the Niagara last night, after a visit in Honolulu.

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From Winnipeg

Mr and Mrs. Taylor Welsh, of Winnipeg, are guests at the Empress Hotel, intending to spend the next month here.

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Leaves for Ottawa

Miss Enid Healey left for Ottawa on Tuesday to take up a position with the Dominion Government.

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Leaves for Vancouver

Mrs. J. B. Marter left yesterday for Vancouver, where she will spend the next fortnight visiting friends.

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Hostess at Tea

Mrs. A. L. Dean entertained yesterday afternoon at her home on St. Patrick Street, Oak Bay.

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Visitor Here

Mr H. P. Prevost, mayor of Duncan, is at the Empress Hotel.

LECTURE AT ST. MARK'S

A popular lecture will be delivered in St. Mark's Hall, Bolestin Road, Cloverdale, this evening at 8 o'clock, entitled "Vital Parts, an Interesting Comparison Between Europe and British Columbia." Admission is free and St. Mark's orchestra, under the leadership of Mrs. O. L. Jull, will render selections during the evening.

Home of Colonel Lindbergh's Fiancee

IT is said that the marriage of Colonel Charles Lindbergh and Miss Anne Morrow, inset, probably will take place at Englewood, N.J., but it was made plain by Mrs. Morrow that the time and place had not been decided and it was entirely up to the engaged couple. The picture above shows the new home, top, of Ambassador Morrow's family at Englewood, and below is their old home in which Anne was born.

Son of Late Hon. W. Nichol Wed Yesterday

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.—A quiet wedding took place at the Hotel Vancouver at 12-30 noon today when Rev. P. T. Pilkey united in marriage Miss Minnie Beveridge, daughter of Mrs. James Beveridge, 1075 Gilford Street, and Mr. Allan Moore Nichol, only son of the late Hon. W. C. Nichol and Mrs. Nichol. The bride was attended by her sister, Mrs. Frank Duff-Stuart, and the best man was Mr. Ronald Kenyon. Those at the ceremony included Mr Sydney Beveridge, brother of the bride; Mr Frank Duff-Stuart, Mr M. A. Van Roggen, and Mr Hugo Ray.

Tofino Social News

Mr. V. Carlson and his bride, just arrived from Finland, have taken up their residence in Tofino.

Mr. Andy Erickson whilst working at the Tofino Shingle Company's mill at Calm Creek suffered a slight injury to his leg when a log rolled on him. He is progressing favorably.

Mr. Fred Towler has returned from a visit to his home at Royal Oak.

Dr and Mrs. Pineo were passengers on the ss. Princess Maquinna for Port Alberni. Dr. Pineo has been staying at the Ahousat Mission School and Christie's School.

Mr Bob Guppy and his fiancee, Miss Jones, returned on Princess Maquinna.

Rev. Ardagh Walter returned from a trip to Bamfield and Uchulet, where he has been holding services.

Rev James MacLeod, of the Island of Lepe, and Mr Ewan MacLeod, of Kamloops, are staying with their brothers, Murdo and Alex. Rev. J. MacLeod held a service on Sunday evening in the Canadian Legion Hall which was very well attended. Mr Ewan MacLeod, who is now Indian Agent at Kamloops, was in the Provincial Police some years ago and stationed at Clayoquot.

Prize winners at the Canadian Legion's weekly whist drive on Friday were Mrs. George Nicholson and Mr. Murdo MacLeod.

Mr. Tommy Chanil, secretary of the Clayoquot Fishermen's Association, has returned from a visit to his mother in Japan.

The Tofino Badminton Club held a military whist drive and dance in the Community Hall on Saturday. This was the first time military whist had been introduced and it was very much enjoyed. The hall was most artistically decorated for the occasion with flags and evergreens and the tables with gaily-colored flags. Norway proved the winning country, being represented by Mrs. John Hansen, Mrs. Anton Hansen, Mr Karl Nilsen and Mr. Pete Melvin. Great credit is due to the committee who worked so hard to make everything a success, especially Mr Basil Matheson, who was a most efficient master of ceremonies. A pair of hand-embroidered tablecloths donated by Miss Lily Wand were won by Mr. Albert Tonsel. A delicious supper was served and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

Weddings

MARTIN—ROSS

COLQUITZ, Feb. 28.—A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized on Wednesday afternoon at 1 o'clock, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dr Russel, Heron Road, Colquitz, when Mrs. Mary Ross, of Regina, and Mr. James Martin, of Heron Road, were united in marriage by Rev. A. L. Hixon. The happy couple will reside in Victoria.

He—I suppose I'm only a pebble on the beach of your life?

She—That's true, but you might stand a chance if you were a little boulder.

Wives of great men all remind us
We can make our lives sublime,
And departing leave behind us
Footprints on the sands of time.

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By Marie Belmont

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A novel wrist cuff, slightly mediaeval, in two tones of tan fabric characterizes the first, the second is a fabric glove using two shades and affecting a belted cuff with pearl buckle; the third is a suede glove in the new dunbarn shade, quilted and stitched in brown.

Note for turban-fans: The new Patou version of the draped tricot turban has a browband and a down-in-back line.

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ORIENTAL ISSUE BEFORE HOUSE

Mr. G. S. Pearson Thinks Government Should Act to Put Halt to Unfair Competition

HELP FOR COAL INDUSTRY URGED

That the Government investigate the domestic conditions of Orientals with a view to forcing their standard of living up to that of the white man and eliminating unfair competition, and that the Government aid the coal industry to find a market for its products and to develop by-products, were features of an address made by Mr. G. S. Pearson, Liberal, Nanaimo, in the debate on the budget at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature.

"Vainglorious boasting" was the manner in which Mr. Pearson described the budget of Hon. W. C. Shelly, Minister of Finance, in his opening remarks. He charged the minister with trying to camouflage efforts of the late Government in order to take away credit to which it was entitled.

It was not surprising that one who had met with success in private life should disagree with other methods of finance and administration, said the Nanaimo member, "but when on matters obviously open to argument he imputes incompetence and wrong motives to men possibly as anxious to do right as he is, who have laid down their practices after consultation with some of the best accounting authorities in the country, I say his is a display of bad taste." It was not unusual, Mr. Pearson added, to see change of control in business corporations followed by complete revision of administrative policy without producing better results.

PATERNAL LAWS

He was not surprised, Mr. Pearson proceeded, that one of the Government members had hastened to qualify the minister's statement in respect of "paternal legislation." There would be little need of laws to control industry, he said, if captains of industry would get the viewpoint that the capital they accumulate is a public trust. He believed the number so doing was on the increase, but so long as even a small number shift looked on men and women as pieces of machinery, legislative control would be necessary.

"It is the coal of social legislation to which the Minister of Finance draws our attention with alarm," said Mr. Pearson. "I do not think any healthy-minded citizen will question the advisability of going as far as we can in the development of this type of legislation. I ask the minister not to take his economics too seriously and solve all things not to overlook his human welfare chapter in his economic textbook."

Touching upon the Oriental question, Mr. Pearson gave a resume of the efforts of the late Mr. Ralph Smith to curtail the operations of Asiatics in this province, particularly as they affected the coal mining industry. No support was given by the farmers at that time, but he now found that the farmers were appealing for protection from this form of competition.

In making a suggestion in connection with this problem the speaker admitted that the immigration of Orientals was well in hand. The diminishing of the numbers of Orientals already here did seem to be a serious problem. He pointed out that the Oriental operated chiefly in the unorganized districts and therefore came under Government control. He suggested that if these Asiatics were forced to live under conditions acceptable to our ordinary Anglo-Saxon workingmen, the pressure of their competition would soon be lessened.

ACTION IS URGED

He suggested that the Government conduct an investigation into the possibility of some resolution covering this phase of the Oriental question.

"Chinatown, just outside the city limits of Nanaimo, is a disgrace to a civilized community, an eyesore and depressing influence to citizens on several streets of city property. It is a mar on an otherwise beautiful landscape. I am told that Chinese are housed under conditions which would not be tolerated by respectable Anglo-Saxon laboring men. These conditions allow a rate of board incomparable with that paid as the regular white boarding house. Surely something could be done to make this position untenable. I submit that there may be room for governmental activity in this connection."

The minister had pointed out the need of co-operation in his budget speech, Mr. Pearson said that there was a great deal of room for co-operation on behalf of the coal industry.

A TRYING PERIOD

"This industry is going through a trying period, and the difficulties of this period would be considerably eased if those industries which use fuel would be prepared to sacrifice a little in order to use this product in place of imported fuel oil. It may be that the Government can help with its influence in this connection. For instance, is it not a peculiar situation that a railway passing through the whole coal belt, deriving a great portion of its revenue from the coal industry, should use oil imported from the United States?

"Then there is the question of experimentation in the development of the by-products of coal. I ask that this Government give a great deal of consideration to this. It is true we may not be able to go far in this, but some steps have been taken along this line, and they should be followed up," he continued.

Seeks Grant to Aid Royal City Agricultural Fair

The citizens of New Westminster and surrounding areas who are interested in the annual fair, which has been held in the city on the Fraser for the past sixty years are now convinced that it is going to be impossible to bring about a union between the Vancouver and the New Westminster Show associations. With this fact evident they are seeking to have sufficient remembrance in the estimates of the Provincial Government to allow of the holding of the forthcoming fair in New Westminster a notable one.

A delegation, headed by Major Tragg, of the board of directors of the fair, waited on the Government yesterday to present their claims. It was intimated to the Government that there was little possibility of a union taking place, as was attempted some time ago, and the need of favorable consideration for the jubilee event of the coming year in New Westminster was advanced.

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New Tweed Skirts From England

These are something quite new in Tailored Skirts for golf or general wear. They are in novelty fabrics, including Iceland wool, plaids, checks and smooth-faced coatings. There are some very striking designs and no two alike; also conventional patterns in subdued colors. The wrap-around styles have pleats to one side, while others are buttoned from waist to hem. The hip measurements are from 36 to 42. Price **8.95**

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New Hats

Of Fine Softly Woven Straw Braids

These Fascinating Hats are shown in the newest Spring colors, such as Lime, sand, smoke, Pandora green, pastel blue, red, pandora brown, and also in the usual black and navy. Some are with the hand-turned left and fancy bands, some with flying bands of shaded ribbons; others with swathed bands of figured silks. Others again have bright wool embroidered bands.

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At The Playhouses

DOMINION THEATRE. Clive Brook, the polished gentleman of the screen, is cast as one of the four central characters in "Interference," the all-talking picture now showing at the Dominion Theatre. Brook essays the role of Sir John Marlay, an eminent British surgeon, who narrowly escapes a tragic climax to his brilliant career. The production offers each of the four central characters equal opportunity for performance stellar work. Aside from Brook, William Powell, Evelyn Brent and Doris Keogan give important characterizations. "Interference" is Paramount's first all-talking production and great credit is given to the cast, both for the talking and acting.

PLAYHOUSE One of the most amazing camera shots on record is shown in the Pox picture, "The Great White North," now presented at the Playhouse Theatre. It shows an enormous polar bear plunging through the water toward the bow of the small boat where Sidney Snow, the cameraman, is located. Presence of mind of the captain saved the party from destruction. Just as the bear reached to crush the boat with a blow the captain fired his rifle over the cameraman's shoulder, ending the fight.

COLISEUM THEATRE One of the most dangerous sequences ever made for a motion picture forms a part of the action of Columbia's "Submarine," which is now showing at the Coliseum Theatre. It was made under the skillful direction of Frank Capra and shows the flooded chambers of a submarine. Four cameras were trained on the set. "The sub was rammed and the ocean poured in," Ralph Graves and fourteen extras as sailors fought the torrent. More than ten thousand gallons of sea water surged into the chamber while the men fought impending death by escaping into another compartment. Columbia is to be commended for this manner in which the scene was handled.

CAPITOL Enthusiastic applause greeted Charles "Buddy" Rogers' second starring picture, "Someone to Love," when it opened its local run at the Capitol Theatre last night. Hundreds who had seen his first picture, "Varsity," were on hand for the second enjoyable performance in which Mary Brian does some excellent work in support of the young star. The stage specialties for today include June and Weldon, a comedy dance team; Kennedy and Conroy in a novelty vaudeville skit entitled "Funny Bones," along with Aimee, hailed as queen of the chromatic accordion. The supporting acts include Jack Reed, the popular singing M.C., and the Capitol stage band.

COLUMBIA THEATRE Sally Blane, who appears with Tom Mix and Tony in the PBC picture, "King Cowboy," has been termed "the best looking blonde in Hollywood." Though Miss Blane has been in pictures a comparatively short time she is already one of the screen's leading prospects. "King Cowboy" is now showing at the Columbia Theatre. This show is rated as one of the best pictures Tom Mix has ever made.

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Mr. H. O'Higgins Dies

MARTINSVILLE, N.J., Feb. 28.—Harvey O'Higgins, fifty-three, novelist and short story writer, died at his home near here early today following an attack of pneumonia. He is survived by his widow and two brothers.

Harvey O'Higgins, in early life was a reporter on Toronto newspapers. He was brought to New York by William Randolph Hearst

MRS. DIANA STRICKLAND

for London, England, conjurer and big game hunter, says the hottest beach in Florida is Miami Beach. Mrs. Strickland, daughter of the celebrated magic author and conjurer, shares many of today's ballroom dances, but prefers the old-fashioned waltz. Her hobbies are sports, golf, rifle and tennis, which were over one war and the other war brings around her carrying bullets for other game. Mrs. Strickland is at present in Miami, Fla., with her husband, Major Strickland. In her address it is her more interesting compliment is an African female than attending teas and bridges at home.

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AMUSEMENTS

Capitol—"Someone to Love," starring Buddy Rogers.
Columbia—Jack Holt in "Submarine."
Columbia—"King Cowboy," featuring Tom Mix.
Dominion—Clive Brook in "Interference."
Playhouse—"The Great White Way."

THE STAGE
Royal—World Famous Tenor, Tito Schipa.

GOVERNMENT'S AUDIT ATTACKED

Liberal Member for Cranbrook Says That $60,000 Has Been Thrown Away

Forty thousand dollars was too much to spend to find out nothing, Mr. P. M. MacPherson, Liberal, Cranbrook, stated in reference to the audit when debating the budget speech in reply to the Lieutenant-Governor's address at the opening session of the Legislature. He contended that the audit had been futile and had only provided another source of expenditure.

Mr MacPherson deplored the references made by the Minister of Finance in his budget speech to social legislation. The Government seemed to think that too much money was being spent on social legislation.

The recent marketing of bonds was the next matter to fall under Mr. MacPherson's criticism. He felt that the syndicate should have taken its profit from the difference between its bid and the price for which it sold the bonds for. He could see no reason for a 1 per cent commission.

Mr. MacPherson next appealed for more consideration of the Peace River and Cariboo Districts. "Too much attention was given to districts surrounding the great centres. He urged that no increase in the royalties on lumber be made.

After Mr. MacPherson completed his address, Mr. Ian Mackenzie, Liberal member for North Vancouver, adjourned the debate.

Station KOMO

The music of Serge Rachmaninoff, gifted Russian composer, who among living Russian composers unquestionably occupies the first place because of his pronounced inventive power and finely developed sense of tonal beauty, is to be featured in an unusually interesting program to be given over KOMO under auspices of the University Federation of Women's Clubs, tonight at 10 o'clock.

SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

BOARD No. 27

North: ♠ Q 4 3 ♥ Q 5 2 ♦ Q 8 ♣ A K 7 6 2

West: ♠ A 6 ♥ J 10 9 7 4 2 ♦ 6 5 ♣ Q 10 8

East: ♠ J 10 7 6 2 ♥ K ♦ Q J 10 9 4 ♣ 9 4

South: ♠ K 9 5 ♥ A 8 6 ♦ A 9 7 3 ♣ J 5 3

Dealer North. Both sides game.

North	East	South	West
1 ♦	1 ♠	2 ♦	3 ♦
3 ♠	4 ♦	4 ♠	5 ♦
6 ♦	7 ♦	7 ♠	7 N.T.

South in the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

In the next issue Mr Whitehead will explain the salient points in the bidding and play of the above hand. Cut out your own chart and compare it with his method.

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy" as, so though all four hands were exposed,

Note—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "T" for Tenden, "N" for Nonto, "Q" for Quemando, and "C" for Clubs. Use "H" for Hearts, "S" for Spades, "HOR." for Horizontal, "VER." for Vertical.

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

BOARD No. 276

S ♠ A Q 10 6 ♥ 7 ♦ 8 ♣ 10 8 7 6 5 4 3 2 — W ♠ J 8 5 3 ♥ 10 9 5 ♦ Q 7 3 2 ♣ A Q 10 — N ♠ 9 4 ♥ Q 8 6 3 ♦ 9 6 5 ♣ A K J 9 — E ♠ K 7 2 ♥ A J 10 ♦ 10 6 5 4 ♣ K J 9

The Correct Bidding and Play

(Bracketed card shows lead in each trick)

North	West	North	East	Trick	N	W
1 ♠	Pass	2 ♠	Pass	1		
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	Pass	2		
5 ♠	Pass	6 ♠	Pass	3		
7 ♠	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	4		
5 ♦	Pass	6 ♦	Pass	5		
7 ♦	Pass	7 ♠	Pass	6		
7 ♥	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	7		
7 ♠	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	8		
7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	9		
7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	10		
7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	11		
7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	12		
7 N.T.	Pass	7 N.T.	Pass	13		
			Total Tricks		6	7

(Bracket the card led in each trick)

Dealer Opponents

Point Score

Game Score

THE PLAY

North	East	South	West	Trick	N	W
1 S	Pass	Pass	Pass	1		
				2		
				3		
				4		
				5		
				6		
				7		
				8		
				9		
				10		
				11		
				12		
				13		
			Total Tricks			

Final Bid 1 S Played by South

THE BIDDING

North	East	South	West
1 S	Pass	Pass	Pass

Final Bid 1 S Played by South

Solution Points of the Bidding

Preference of Suit to No Trump Bid Because of Weak Doubleton

South opens the bidding with one Spade instead of No Trump, because of his weak Club doubleton.

Indirect Points of the Play

Trick 1. Declarer must lose two Clubs and a Heart. Therefore to go game he can allow no other trick to the adversaries. But he must lose a second Heart trick unless he finds that suit evenly split and the Ace with East. Even then he must lead through East twice to avoid the loss of the second trick. The King of trumps will furnish one entry to Dummy for a lead, second entry must be obtained by the ruff of one of Declarer's good Diamonds. Declarer plays accordingly and makes game on the hand.

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New Brunswick Legislature in Session

THE first session of the New Brunswick Legislature to be opened by the new Lieutenant-Governor, Major-General Hugh Havelock McLean, and the fourth session of the ninth assembly of New Brunswick since Confederation, took place on February 21 at Fredericton. The layout shows: (1) Hon. J. Leon Lutes, Speaker of the Legislature; (2) Hon. A. A. Dysart, Leader of the Opposition; (3) a Winter view of New Brunswick's Parliament Buildings in Fredericton; (4) E. W. Melville, M.P.P. for Carleton County, seconder of the address; (5) M. A. Acker, M.P.P. for Saint John city, mover of the address in reply to the speech from the Throne; (6) Major-General Hugh Havelock McLean, Lieutenant-Governor of New Brunswick, and (7) Hon. John B. M. Baxter, Premier of New Brunswick.

Radio Dealers Get Jazz Music On CFCT Tonight

The weekly half-hour for the children will take place between 6:30 and 6 o'clock this evening, over Victoria's radio station, CFCT. The Sunset Concert Orchestra will offer an entertaining hour of classical music. One of Sousa's marches will open the programme, and a selection in two parts, from Jules Massenet's opera, "Thais," will be heard. A selection from "Sally," by Kern, will also be included, while the highly bour with the Sunset Broadcasters will close with the second movement from Tschaikowsky's Symphony Pathetique.

From 7:30 to 8 p.m. the Empress Hotel Orchestra will be heard from the grill, followed by CFCT's Friday evening studio presentation. Tonight's offering from the new studio has been arranged by Jean Logie, child. The last broadcast by the local radio station occurs during the hour before midnight, when the Crystal Garden Orchestra will present modern dance melodies.

Radio Club to Meet

The Victoria Radio Club will meet this evening at 8 o'clock, on Dallas Road at Linden Avenue. This meeting will consider resolutions to be brought before the Royal Commission, to sit here in April.

R.A.C. EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMME ON AIR

Symphonic orchestral selections, vocal solos and an educational lecture are featured in the world's R.C.A. "University of the Air" hour to be broadcast through N.B.C. Syndicate radio tonight from 8 to 9 o'clock.

Introducing the "World of Music and Letters" division of the hour, the orchestra, under the baton of Max Dolin, will play Brahms' brilliant and exciting "Hungarian Dance No. 5." Margaret O'Dea, contralto, will be heard in the "Seguidilla" from Bizet's "Carmen" in this period.

In the "World of Knowledge" period Edward Randall, baritone, will sing Hawley's "Ah! The A Dream, while Miss O'Dea offers the lovely "Connais-tu le Pays?" from Thomas' opera, "Mignon."

Following the custom of presenting a distinguished educator in a brief talk, this programme will bring before the microphone Dr. J. M. D. Gammel, Professor of Physiology at the University of California. He will speak on "How the Nervous System Functions." The R.C.A. "University of the Air" educational talk is made possible by special arrangements of the Radio Corporation of America with the Department of Adult Education of the California State Board of Education.

Musically depicting a "World of Music, History and Philosophy," the orchestra opens the third section of the programme with Tchaikosky's "Chanson Triste," his emotional interpretation of sorrow entering the life of a Russian peasant. Randall, the baritone, will contribute Bohm's "Calm as the Night," an interesting song of a subdued mood.

Eastern Broadcasts Come West Tonight

Two new Eastern broadcasts will come to the West tonight, when stations of the A.B.C. Western Network release the Eaglman Kodak programme at 7 o'clock, followed by the first episode of a series of "Night Club Romances." These programmes originate in the New York studios of the Columbia Broadcasting System.

The Kodak programme, which was formerly released in the East but was discontinued three months ago, comes back on the air with a new type of entertainment. Photographs in an old album furnish the theme around which this series of programmes are written.

The Night Club Romances take place in some different night club each week. Each programme is intended for radio listeners. The programme abounds in vocal and instrumental of all kinds, including jazz music and the stories as heard through the ears of a little cigarette girl.

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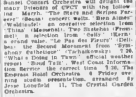
Radio Programmes

By Courtesy of Radio Dealers

Summary of Schedule of Victoria and Other Pacific Coast Stations

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475-Sec.). 4 p.m. The morning market quotations from the Victoria Stock Exchange building. 4:05 The closing market quotations. 6:30 The Sunset Concert Orchestra will delight the young listeners of CFCT with the weekly hour. 7:30 Studio Presentation. Jean Logie, child. 8 p.m. Empress Hotel Orchestra. "Bum Algier" (Waldteufel) an overture selection (Ivan Tritsch (Messenet). Two Sketches (Frederick Ayres). Selection, "Sally" (Kern). Waltz, "Grand Mamouth" from Gypsy Princess (Kalman). Fox Trot (Kern). "What's Doing in Tacna?" official weather report. Selection, "Tom Boy" (Ivan Tritsch). Fox Trot (Kern). 9 p.m. R.C.A. Victor Symphony Hour Orchestra. 9 Friday evening studio presentation, arranged by Jean Lonsdale 11, The Crystal Garden Orchestra.



NBC, National Broadcasting Company: (2 30 11) 30 p.m. Ed Wynn's Fire Chief Hour. 8 p.m. Pacific Little Symphony (Gershwin). 8:30 "Ben Franklin." 9 30-4 Barbasiol (Harmonies (transcontinental). 9:30 Ben Bernie's Orchestra. 10 p.m. Ben Bernie (transcontinental). 10 30 Pacific Coast Programme (transcontinental). 11 30. Hudson-Essex Challenger (transcontinental). 0:0. B.C.A. hour. 10 p.m.-10 Dance Orchestra.

KFRC, San Francisco (319.5m.). 4-4.30 p.m. Garden talk. 4:30-4 30. Sonshine about Everything. 4:45-5:30. Man about Town. 4:30-5. Tony Tapper. 5-5.30 Dinner Concert. 5:30-6 Dinner Concert. 6 Sunset Trail. 6 30-7. Pickin' and Grinnin'. Roy Hamel. 8 30-7. Phil Pearce, sports. 7-7:30. San Francisco Boy Choir. 7:30 Programme. 7 30-8. Anne Christine and Ukulele Ike (transcontinental). 8 Sunset Concert Orchestra. 8 30-9. Pacific Coast Choir. 9-10. Sherman, Clay & Co. programme. 10 30 Dance. 11 p.m.-12 mid. 11 10. Hotel Mark Hopkins Orchestra. 11 30 a.m.-12 10 a.m. Orchestra.

KHJ, Los Angeles (1765.5m.) (10.0k). 4.30 p.m. Dr Wendy M Sweet 4-5 m. (Chi). Your Own Hotel. 6-6.30. KHJ Sports Quarter. 6.30-7. Organ recital. 7-8 Pacific programme. 8-9. Royal Order of Jesters. 9-10. Dance Orchestra. 10 Dance programme. 8-10. Broadcasting the main events from the Hollywood Legion Stadium (8 p.m.-12 midnight. Grantham Grove Orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m. Dance hour.

KGO, Oakland, Calif. (384.4m.). 4-5 p.m. Dinner Concert. 5-6 p.m. Lucy Gaston. 6-6.15. Lucy Gaston. 6.15-6 30 Sketchbook in Tunes About Music. 6.30. Wrigley Review. 6 30-7. Pulitzer prize winners. 7-8 Dinner Concert. 8-9 p.m. The Oakland Symphony Orchestra. 9-10 p.m. Skipper Breen's party. 10-11. Wind, Weather and Sports report. 11 p.m.-12 mid. Night Riders Orchestra.

KFI, Los Angeles (467.3m.). 4-5 p.m. Dolly Dearth. 5-6 p.m. Bertha Co. 6. Spanish lesson. 6. Uncle Don. 6.30. Glen Edmund and his Orchestra. 6 Wrigley programme. 6 30-7. Pulitzer prize winners. 7-8 Dinner Concert programme. 8-9. Broadcasting the main events from the Hollywood Legion Stadium (8 p.m.-12 midnight. Grantham Grove Orchestra. 12 midnight-1 a.m. Dance hour.

KGW, Portland, Ore. (491.5m.). 4-5 p.m. Other Services Orchestra and Organ recital. 4-6 30. Wrigley Review. 6-7 p.m. Dinner hour. 7 p. Hudson Motors orchestra. 7-8 Dance Orchestra. 8-9 p.m. Dance Orchestra. 9-10 p.m. Special Album. 9 30-10. Phone vote. 10-11. The Vagabonds.

KPO, San Francisco (508.2m.). 4-5 p.m. Dinner Concert. 5-6 p.m. Dinner Concert. 6-6.15 Sketchbook in Tunes About Music. 6.15-6 30 Sketchbook in Tunes About Music. 6.30. Wrigley Review. 6 30-7. Pulitzer prize winners. 7-8 Dinner Concert. 8-9 p.m. Dance Orchestra. 9-10 p.m. Dance Orchestra. 10-11 p.m. Dance Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 mid. Dance Orchestra.

KOMO, Seattle (454.3m.). 4-5 p.m. Other Services Orchestra and Organ recital. 4-6 30. Wrigley Review. 6-7 p.m. Dinner hour. 7 p. Hudson Motors orchestra. 7-8 Dance Orchestra. 8-9 p.m. Dance Orchestra. 9-10 p.m. Special Album. 9 30-10. Phone vote. 10-11. The Vagabonds.

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Chicago Police Claim Discovery Of Killer Gang

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Two members of "Scarface" Al Capone's gang were in custody tonight, facing formal charges of murder in connection with the shooting of seven members of the rival gang, headed by George "Bugs" Moran, two weeks ago today. Two other men were held as accessories after the fact of murder, and Capone himself was arrest with a Federal subpoena at Miami Beach, Florida, ordering his appearance before a Federal grand jury here on March 12. With these developments, the police, who have chased theories and slim clues, building and knocking down one solution after another and they now know who invaded the Northside garage on St. Valentine's Day, lined up seven members of Moran's gang and shot them to death.

While the police were singuing out their prisoners, the arrests as "run raps" and offered alibis, failing the police possessed no actual evidence.

The members of the Capone gang held are Jack McGurn, known as his expert with a machine gun, and Rocco Faballi, also known as a marksman with his weapon.

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IT WAS PREDICTED BY FORTUNE TELLER

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.—"You are about to suffer a great money loss," the gypsy fortune teller informed Wong Young, Union Street, Wednesday night.

She was right. A few minutes after leaving the seer's tent the Chinese discovered that $20 has been taken from his purse.

"And I pay 30 cents tell fortune, he complained to police.

SAANICH REEVE GIVES OPINION

TELLS COMMISSION HE IS OPPOSED TO SECESSION OF RURAL WARDS

Says Waterworks Undertaking Has Been Success Since Establishment in 1915

Reeve William Crouch occupied the witness stand yesterday afternoon, when the hearing of Saanich municipal affairs was resumed before Judge F. S. Lampman.

Examined by Mr. E. Tait, acting for the Saanich Council, Reeve Crouch said that he became a member of the Saanich Council in 1926, and was elected reeve the following year. He had been connected with the Victoria Chamber of Commerce, and also with the Saanich Board of Trade in the course of his residence in this province.

The probable future development of the population of Saanich, he said, would be very strong during the next few years. The district would undoubtedly become more and more residential. The days of the large farm were over in Saanich, and already the municipality was split up into a number of small holdings.

WATERWORKS

In answer to a question regarding water supply, the reeve stated that the waterworks of Saanich had always paid their way. Since the year 1915 there had been a profit in this connection of some $12,000, the great majority of which came from the inner wards. The municipality had made a number of small extensions to its system from time to time, he continued, and at the time of the elections, had placed a by-law before the people to raise the sum of $80,000, of which $50,000 were to be spent upon the extension of the waterworks to Cordova Bay, which lies within one of the wards applying for disincorporation.

ROAD WORK

Upon the subject of roads, the reeve told the court that no help had been granted by the Government in improving either the road from Royal Oak to the municipal boundary or the West Saanich Road. He had himself applied to the Government to have this road, which was classified as a secondary highway, improved, and also to have Lims Kiln Road, leading to Butchart's Gardens, properly paved in approaching the Government, the reeve had made a list of the improvements to roads which he deemed necessary, and every one of those improvements, he stated, applied to Wards Five and Six.

In the matter of schools, which he described as one of the great sources of expense to the municipality, the witness said that he had told the Government that the taxation on the schools bore very heavily upon the Saanich landowner. In this matter, he remarked, Saanich had received very sympathetic attention from the Legislature.

Speaking of the disadvantages of the secession of Wards Five and Six along the lines suggested, Reeve Crouch said that this would merely form the prelude to exactly the same trouble a few years hence. Should secession be granted, he thought it very probable that Wards One and Three would follow the example of their predecessors in asking for disincorporation, which would undoubtedly have a prejudicial effect upon all municipal works.

GOOD FINANCIAL CONDITION

"As regards the financial position of Saanich," concluded Reeve Crouch, "I can only say that it is as fine as that of any in British Columbia. At the end of this year we shall have worked off all our indebtedness."

Cross-examined exhaustively by Mr. C. H. O'Halloran, counsel for the wards in question, Reeve Crouch said that rural Saanich would undoubtedly become more residential, particularly if the taxes were lowered.

His Honor: "Exactly, Mr. O'Halloran. This Utopia which you are proposing will bring a rush."

Pressed by counsel to say whether the receipts from the Saanich waterworks were kept in a separate account, and also how many accounts were kept in the municipality, the reeve said that he was unable to say.

NATURAL BOUNDARY

"I am reeve of the municipality, not an accountant or a municipal engineer," he remarked. He told the court that he was strenuously opposed to secession if the boundary were to be as close to Victoria as had been suggested. The proper place for a boundary, if boundary there had to be, was in his opinion, to the north of Elk Lake. Up to that the land was divided up into small holdings.

Reeve Crouch further pointed out that it was unwise to attach more than a very slight importance to the signing of petitions. Many people, he said, would sign the petition simply to be rid of the man who presented it, and he stated that, if the matter of secession had been put to the vote throughout Wards Five and Six the result would have been very different.

WILL OBSERVE ST. DAVID'S DAY

All Welsh people are asked by the officers of the Victoria Cymrodorion Society to attend at St. David's Hall, 1414 Douglas Street, this evening at 8 o'clock being the day set apart to do honor to the memory of the patron saint. An interesting programme is being prepared, and a collection will be taken up for the Distressed Miners' Fund. Refreshments will be served.

Photographs of Storm Damage in Europe

EUROPE from the north to the south has suffered from a series of storms and blizzards which have left hundreds of deaths, untold suffering and millions in property damage in their wake. In some instances the storms were the worst experienced in a hundred years. The seasonable thaws following the snow storms flooded rich farming areas and only the renewal of bitterly cold weather avoided a more serious flood situation. (1) shows an inundated motor road in Northern Italy; (2) an overflow of the famous Danube, sweeping railroad tracks near Vienna, Austria, and (3) an automobile lashed to the deck of the cross-Channel steamer Ville de Liege after the steamer had run aground in a storm off Dover, England.—Copyr't, 1929, Pacific & Atlantic Photos, Inc.

Terms of Radio Treaty Are Made Public in Ottawa

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—The agreement between the United States and Canada with regard to the division of radio wave lengths in the continental band was made public today and those in Ottawa who have studied the question are satisfied with the result.

There are 704 channels in this band. Of this number 411 are allotted to special services and the particular service, whether in Canada or the United States, has the right to use them. Of the remaining 293 channels, United States gets 146 channels, Canada and Newfoundland 103, Cuba 20, and other nations on the continent 24.

The common channels to services are allotted as follows:

Maritime Mobile services exclusively (ship to shore), 47; air mobile services exclusively, aircraft to ground, 33; air and maritime mobile services, selected by ship to shore and aircraft to ground, 87; mobile services, shared, ships, aircraft, railway trains and other non-fixed stations, 39; amateur (amateur experimental work and communication), 14; experimental broadcasting (television and transmission of pictures), 84; experimental (special channels), 3.

LIVING TORCHES

NEW WESTMINSTER, Feb. 28.—Although they were literally turned into living torches when blazing gasoline was thrown over their clothing from a burst gas tank on the gasboat Slave, C. Woods and M. M. Field have a fighting chance for life in the Royal Columbian Hospital. Both are burned severely on head, face, hands, legs and feet. Field also has severe body burns.

The tank exploded while the two men were doing repair work on the boat, which was tied to the wharf near one of the Abernathy & Loughead logging camps on Alouette Lake today, shortly before noon.

They were dashed to the cabin floor by the blast. P. Mason and B. Walsh, carpenters, were burned slightly, being on top of the boat.

They smothered the flames with coats, thereby saving the two victims from being cremated.

OLD AGE PENSION IS NOT IN DANGER

Dr. C. M. Kingston Assures Opposition that Measure Will Not Be Repealed

Dr. C. M. Kingston, Conservative, for Grand Forks-Greenwood, in contributing to the debate at yesterday afternoon's session of the Legislature, assured those members of the Opposition, who had expressed fear that the Old Age Pension Act would now be repealed, that although he was not the mouthpiece of the Government, he felt confident they need have no fear. He further commended Mr. O. A. Ollis, member for Yale, for the suggestion he had made in connection with the prevention of tuberculosis. There was no doubt in his mind that more health inspectors were needed. He felt that it might be advisable in this connection to establish a department of health.

In pointing out the necessity of relief for the fruitgrowers of his district, Dr. Kingston said that the irrigation scheme was proving to be a heavy burden upon the farmers, owing to the fact that large tracts of land in the irrigation area had reverted to the Crown. The fruitgrowers' problem was a serious one throughout the province and demanded of the Government a close study of existing conditions. What was most needed was closer contact between the consumer and the producer. He felt that the Governments could do much in this matter.

U.S. Navy Cannot Become Danger To Great Britain

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Sir William Joynson-Hicks, the Home Secretary, yesterday told a conference of women Conservatives that the British Government had no objection whatever to the building of new cruisers by the United States.

"I cannot conceive that the American cruisers can ever be used except as an ally of Great Britain," he said. "I cannot conceive the possibility of the infinite stupidity of war between the great Anglo-Saxon nations of the world. We, therefore, are making no objections."

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Not warm.
4 Mature.
7. Vehicle
8. Great lake
11. Paddle.
13. Among.
14. Beatle.
15. International language.
16 Meadowsh
18 Set up
19 Invert.
20 Curiosities
23 Decimeter (ab.)
25 Within
24 Deposit of a river
27 Storms
28. Constellation.
31 Departed.
32 Past principle (ab.)
33 Hebrew month.
35. Either
37 French river
38 Harvest.
40 Mount
42 Hawaiian bird.
44 English river
45. Chaldean city
46 Not safe
48 Horse's hair
49 Beverage.
50 Flower
51 Loyalty

DOWN

1 Restaurant.
2. Siberian gulf.
3. In case that.
4. Persian
5. Italian river
6. Deserts.
7. Fetus
9 Hollow grass
10. News paragraph.
12. Decay.
17. Plays (plural)
19 Kind of cat.
21. Hall.
23. Character in Othello
26 Act.
28 Comparative suffix.
30 Indefinite article.
27. Ammon.
28 Prefix into
29 Compass point.
31. Melody.
34 Created.
36 Card game.
37 Thine.
38 Arrived
39 Rind
41. Urial
42 Before
47 Toward.
48 River in Livonia.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

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PORTLAND HOLDS LEADING LIONS TO 4-4 DRAW

Rangers Ousted From Lead in American Section of N.H.L. by Boston

Bruins Go Into Lead By Walloping Ottawa; Hawks Tie With N.Y.

Lester Patrick's Team Held Scoreless by Orphans—Boston Wins From Senators 4-0, While Leafs Trim Maroons by Same Score

OTTAWA, Feb. 28. — Boston's Bruins went into the leadership of the American section of the N.H.L. and the chances of the Ottawa Senators landing a play-off berth were almost completely obliterated when the Bruins flooded the Senators 4-0 here tonight. The locals looked to speed and trampling. They fought gallantly, but the heavy rear guard thwarted the scoring thrusts of the Senators.

The Line-Ups

Ottawa	Position	Boston
Connell	Goal	Thompson
Clancy	Defence	Hitchman
Smith	Defence	Shore
Nighbor	Centre	Carson
Klaus	Wing	Galbraith
Finnegan	Wing	Oliver
Teeter	Sub	Owen
Gravenor	Sub	Weiland
Ellis	Sub	Clapper
Shields	Sub	Gainor
Godin	Sub	McKay
	Sub	Lane

Summary

First Period—Boston, Weiland, 2.40.

Second Period—No score.

Third Period—2, Boston, Carson, 10.35; 3, Boston, Carson, 20.1. Boston, Owens, 6.05.

CANUCKS IN DRAW

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—The New York Americans and Montreal Canadiens failed to reach a decision upon their N.H.L. struggle here tonight, and as a result the Canadiens were left situated three points ahead of the Americans on top of the International Section of the league. Tonight's game went seventy minutes of rather dull hockey to a scoreless tie.

The Line-Ups

Americans	Position	Canadiens
Worters	Goal	Hainsworth
Reise	Defence	S. Mantha
Simpson	Defence	Burke
Burns	Centre	Lepine
Broadbent	Wing	Gagnier
Connor	Wing	Jolat
Shill	Sub	Mondou
McVeigh	Sub	Morenz
Shrapnel	Sub	Leduc
White	Sub	Patterson
	Sub	Gardiner
	Sub	G. Mantha

Summary: No scoring.

CHAMPS GO SCORELESS

DETROIT, Feb. 28.—New York's champion Rangers were held to a scoreless tie in an N.H.L. game with the last-end Chicago Black Hawks here tonight, largely because of the efforts of Chuck Gardiner, their Hawk goalie. While the Rangers held an edge in the play throughout the game, they could not beat the goalie, who stopped difficult shots from all angles.

The Line-Ups

Rangers	Position	Chicago
Roach	Goal	Gardiner
Abel	Defence	Vernseth
Boutrewell	Defence	Taylor
Boucher	Centre	Irvin
Bill Cook	Wing	Couture
Sun Cook	Wing	Gottselig
Murdoch	Sub	Ripley
Patrick	Sub	Marsh
Kelling	Sub	McKinnon
Cadman	Sub	Arbour
	Sub	Miller

Summary: No score.

LEAFS TRIM MAROONS

MONTREAL, Feb. 28.—Toronto Maple Leafs played like a team of world's champions here tonight and handed the Maroons a 4-0 pasting. The Leafs' display left no doubt as to their superiority and right to sole possession of third place in the standing of the Canadian Section of the N.H.L. The loss practically means elimination for Coach Marons from a chance of finishing in a play-off position.

The Line-Ups

Toronto	Position	Montreal
Chabot	Goal	Benedict
Smith	Defence	Boucher
Day	Defence	Dutton
Blair	Centre	Phillips
Cox	Wing	Stewart
Bailey	Wing	Ward
Duncan	Sub	H. Smith
Horner	Sub	Trottier
Horne	Sub	Hicks
Cotton	Sub	Northcott
Pettinger	Sub	Siebert

Summary

First Period—1, Toronto, Duncan, 7 34. 2, Toronto, Day, 10.38.

Second Period—3, Toronto, Horne, 6.00.

Third Period—4, Toronto, Cox, 15.16.

CHAMPS GO SCORELESS

DETROIT, Feb. 28.—New York's

ACTION GALORE PROMISED FANS AT FIGHT SHOW

Young Peter Jackson, Veteran Leather Thrower, Will Start Come-Back Campaign Tomorrow

WING HAY TO MEET TOMMY O'CONNELL

Plenty of thrills and action galore are promised the fight fans at tomorrow night's cauliflower production of the Pacific Coast Wrestlers at the Tillicum gymnasium by the Central Boxing Club. In the main event tonight event the original Young Peter Jackson, veteran leather thrower, who is billed to fight "Dusty" Miller, local heavyweight. Jackson has been quite an attraction at the gymnasium nightly during the wrestling, but just how he will fare with Miller remains to be seen.

The semi-windup brings together two of the best lightweights on the Coast in Jimmy Beck of Victoria and Brian Wendell of Bellingham. Each of these prize leather throwers have appeared in a local ring and made a good showing. The main is scheduled to go six rounds instead of the usual four.

Another battle that should prove interesting is the O'Connell-Hay tussle. Hay is a heavyweight. The former, from Seattle, has been very active in different Coast cities, fighting plenty of the leading mitt slingers. In a number of decisions he has been forced to step out of his class in order to get fights. Local fans will remember Tommy O'Connell as the lad who defeated Jumbo Davies in his last appearance here. Jumbo that time had put on a little more weight, but at that will be expected to give away the pounds to the shifty Wing Hay. The curtain raiser will bring together Simon Joe, Pete Wheatcake Indian, and Jeff Regan, of Seattle.

NAVY TO PLAY THISTLES IN CUP FIXTURE

Only Soccer Match on Card Will Bring Saturday and Wednesday League Teams Together

WEST'S-FIVE'C'S GAME CANCELED

In the only senior soccer game on tomorrow's card the Navy and Thistles end the Navy will meet in the first round of the Jackson Cup series at the Royal Athletic Park at 3 o'clock. The complete list of the series scheduled for tomorrow was to have brought together the West C's and Victoria West, but this match has been canceled.

The game at the Royal Athletic Park is expected to draw a bumper crowd, not people in sympathy of the brand of soccer the teams will display but people who like to see teams represented. It is many seasons since the Navy boys have entered the Jackson Cup series, and with the Thistles they have battled hard against the Bannich Thistles it is remembered that a good number of followers of the round ball game will be on hand.

Jack Ewing, who manages the lads from the suburban district, will have his team at full strength for the battle, and needless to say, looks for a win. The Thistles claim victory is also expected, and if the names are under it will not be because they did not try.

The teams are announced as follows:

Bannich Thistles — Rodger or Hogan, Joe Crowe, Armitage, Harper, Jim Crowe, Ewing, Fyfe, Rickinson, Elder, Minnis and Ewing.

The Navy team will be selected from the following players: Zacchelli, Robinson, Lovett, C. Whyte, Tom Watt, Roberts, Cartland, Poulter, Holland, Robson, Sproddell, Marr and Carter.

Basketball Problems

By OSWALD TOWER

(Good evening, fans. Mr. Tower, if you wish a personal answer, send the sign-ed and addressed envelope. Address Mr. Tower at Andover, Mass.)

Question: Basketball goes on the floor, saying he is taking the place of A. A. Stagg's team. Why do teams have strong substitution but being supposed never to be disposed to leave the court. Would it be a disgrace to allow the players during the game? Can a player to name if he has already been out of the game once before? Can a be loaded for leaving the court?

Answer: Player A is out of the game. Player B comes in. Player A is second time he left game. No foul has been committed. Substitution has been properly made as far as officials are concerned. Substitute blundered in telling the referee which player was to leave.

Prince Kept This Horse

THE Prince of Wales sold his racing stable, that is, all but just an idea. Here the Prince is being mounted on this fateful steed, who in all the time he was carrying his master, never put the wrong foot forward among his rivals. Yet he was ridden to be deposited on terra firma. His trustworthiness is now to be rewarded by passing the rest of his life on the smooth meadows of the Prince's farm at Lenton.

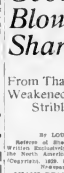
Georgian's Terrific Blow in Fourth Made Sharkey Take Notice

From That Punch On Gob Fought Harder and Weakened Opponent by Midsection Attack—Stribling Burned Out, Says Magnolia

By LOU MAGNOLIA

Referee of Sharkey-Stribling Fight, Writer Exclusively for The Colonist and the North American Newspaper Alliance Features, Inc., by the North American Newspaper Alliance

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 28.—I have been asked to tell what I think of the abilities of Jack Sharkey and W. L. Stribling as I saw them to action Wednesday night.



VICKIN STRIBLING

Sharkey is a good man; that of the best. He has one fault though, that may have by him trouble. It seems that he must be stung — really hurt—before he can get warmed up to the job before him. Take the first few rounds of the fight Stribling didn't have much the worst of it. Then in the fourth W. L. landed a terrific right flash to the jaw.

There isn't any doubt about Sharkey being hurt. It jolted him right down to his knees, and I guess he saw a lot of stars. From that moment on he fought harder, and was a much better performer. You can't question his fighting spirit, but he should find a way of starting up his combative qualities without being hurt.

I rather expected Jack to bunch up his shoulders and wade into Stribling with a body attack from the start. He knew that a thumping around the midsection was the surest way in the world of weakening the Southerner. He handed out a lot of body punishment, but took his time about it.

STRIBLING OVERPRAISED

It seemed to me that Stribling was overtrained. He would probably be a better chairman if he laid off altogether for the best part of the next year. The campaigning he has gone through would have burned out almost anybody else. It seems to have burned out him as well.

From what I have seen of Stribling I don't think he ever will be a champion. In my estimation he fought a poorer fight against Sharkey than he did against Tommy Loughran. His left hand wasn't what it should have been, considering the power that is behind it. Probably with the Vancouver boy he was several days before the fight had a lot to do with his relative ineffectiveness. That he did with his southpaw.

Right here I want to say that I got the biggest kick of my life in being appointed referee of this contest. It was not only a personal triumph but a tribute to the New York State Athletic Commission, as well the commission and the Garden Corporation had the pick of all the referees in the country, and when they picked me, they did me the greatest honor possible. Everyone present seems to agree that my decision was the only one possible, and naturally this gratifies me, too.

CLARIFIES SITUATION

The fight in Miami Beach has partly clarified the heavyweight situation. A few more such battles will set one man above all the other contestants in the division Gene Tunney vacated, and we will again have a recognized champion of the world.

On his showing Jack Sharkey is certainly entitled to as much recognition as any one else. He is big and strong and against Stribling he boxed well. They tell me that matches between him and Paulino, Max Schmeling and Jack Dempsey are already lined up. Opinions on the promotion of these events are of course, outside of my line, but if Sharkey can beat these three hard-running few will dispute his right to the claim of champion.

Stribling isn't going to quit because he was beaten by Sharkey. He has a fine burst of speed, a great right hand and a lot of stamina. The fight game has been good to him in that he has made a not inconsiderable fortune from it. He is only twenty-four years old, and is quite young enough to keep going for a long time yet.

No one has any kick against the fight. It was a financial and social success, and the battle itself was clean and hard fought.

You can't ask much more than that.

Joe Dundee Must Fight or Vacate As Welter Champ

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Joe Dundee, of Baltimore, world's welterweight champion, today was ordered by the National Boxing Association to sign for the defence of his title by March 21 or vacate his throne.

Unless Dundee obeys, the winner of the Jackie Fields-Young Jack Thompson fight, March 25, will be recognized as welterweight champion by the association.

Trout Fishing On Island Will Be Open Today

ANGLERS were busy yesterday getting their tackle ready for the opening of the trout fishing season today. Several well-known fly tosses left yesterday afternoon for the Cowichan River to be on the job early this morning while many more will follow today and during the week-end. Indications point to a good opening, as reports from the river state that there are larger numbers of trout in the waters. Many of the lakes on the Island are still covered with ice, and it will be a week or more before they will be available for angling. Prospect Lake, one of the fine fishing grounds within easy reach of the city, has severel inches of ice on it.

CUP-TIES WILL HOLD SWAY IN OLD COUNTRY

Matches Between Blackburn Rovers and Bolton Wanderers and Aston Villa-Arsenal, Features

RANGERS TO PLAY MOTHERWELL TEAM

LONDON, Feb. 28.—Cup-tie matches still again occupy the centre of the centre stage in England and Scotland on Saturday. The competitions are down to the stage where eight clubs are competing.

In England the chief cup-tie attractions will be Blackburn Rovers, who are the cup holders, versus Bolton Wanderers at Blackburn, and Aston Villa versus Arsenal at Aston. The other two ties are Huddersfield Town at West Bromwich, Everton and West Ham at Portsmouth.

In the Scottish games the match in Glasgow between Celtic and Motherwell will be the headliner. Glasgow will also have another big Rangers versus Dundee United. The Rangers are the cup holders.

In other matches, Aberdeen go to Paisley to play St. Mirren, while Kilmarnock travel to Kirkcaldy to battle with Raith Rovers.

CHANCE TO IMPROVE

Sheffield Wednesday will have a chance to improve their position at the head of the English League First Division on Saturday, as they take on the lowly Bury at Wadsley Bridge. They need points as Sunderland have been creeping upon them lately. Sunderland will be at home to Cardiff City, who will probably have to concede a couple of points.

In the Second Division, Middlesbrough, though they must travel to Blackpool, should be able to get their lead Chelsea, runners up, from getting the maximum points at their pals Oldham Athletic, much poorer club, at Stamford Bridge.

Northampton, leaders of the Southern Section of the Third Division, seem to be in no danger, as they meet Newport, Southern Section Athletic, second club, are not well at home and Northampton they will meet the hard-fighting Exeter City at home.

While Rochdale country, out in front in the Northern Section of the Third Division, seem to be a prized of leadership on Saturday, they stand a chance of losing a couple of points, as they must travel to Wrexham.

CANZONERI SIGNED TO FIGHT MILLER

CHICAGO, Feb. 28.—Tony Canzoneri, former contender for the junior lightweight championship, has signed with Bob Miller, son for a ten-round bout with Ray Miller, Chicago, on the same card with Tommy Loughran-Mackey Walker light-heavyweight match here on March 28.

Conn Figures in All Of Buckaroos' Goals At Rose City Battle

Teams Battle Through Overtime Session Without Decision—Dave Downie Shows Class—Eighteen Penalties Handed Out

PORTLAND, Feb. 28.—Marked by a ten-minute overtime period, in which neither team scored, the Portland Buckaroos and Vancouver hockey teams battled to a 4-4 draw tonight. At the start it looked as if the score would resemble a basketball game, as four of the goals were made in the first ten minutes of play. Two more came before the period ended. Vancouver leading at this point, 4-2. The defence of both teams stiffened. There was no scoring in the second period.

It looked as if the teams would remain the same in the third, but the game to life at the close. Conn, who had made both the local goals, gave a stand on a pass from Downie to 7 minutes 27 seconds. This goal was reversed seven minute and four seconds later, the midget getting the goal that tied. There was nothing doing in the overtime play, as both teams played a strong defensive game.

DAVE DOWNIE

THE LINE-UPS

Vancouver	Position	Portland
Jackson	Goal	Timmins
Jerwa	Defence	Johnson
Brennan	Defence	McGoldrick
Somers	Centre	Downie
Phillips	Wing	Conn
Sanderson	Wing	Trel
Arnott	Sub	Pratt
McAdam	Sub	Armstrong
Beattie	Sub	Bond
Cunningham	Sub	Sande

Referee: Lou.

SUMMARY

First period—1, Portland, Conn, 18. 2, Vancouver, Phillips, 8.11. 3, Vancouver, Phillips from Sanderson, 1.14. 4, Portland, Conn from Downie, 5.31. 5, Vancouver, Brennan from Somers, 3.42. 6, Vancouver, Cummings from Jerwa, 8.30.

Second period—No score.

Third period—7, Portland, Conn from Downie, 17.37; 8, Portland, Downie from Conn, 3.04.

Overtime—No score.

PENALTIES

First period — Phillips, Somers, Sande, McAdam.

Second period — Sande, Somers, Brennan, Phillips, Cummings (2).

Third period — Trel, Phillips, Brennan (3), Armstrong (2).

Overtime—Conn.

Victoria Ace Enters Seattle Squash Tourney

SEATTLE, Feb. 28.—The first out-of-town entries for the first annual Pacific Coast square racquets championship, which will be staged here at the Seattle Tennis Club the week starting March 3, were received yesterday by Leon de Tumanie, tournament manager, from Victoria.

H. K. Cassels, who at one time was champion of Eastern Canada, and who now is an instructor at Brentwood College in Victoria, has mailed his entry, together with those of three other younger stars of the British Columbia city.

The other three entries are from students at the college. They are P. E. Robertson, R. T. Hanbury and Phil Woolley.

More than 500 announcements of the tournament, the first of its kind ever to be held on the Coast, went out this week by the Seattle tournament committee.

Many more outside entries are expected from Vancouver and Portland, and possibly California.

WANDERERS WILL OPPOSE COLLEGE

Intermediate Rugby Fifteens Will Clash at High School Ground—Other Games Called

Two Intermediate League Rugby games are carded for tomorrow, as follows:

University School vs. Canadian Scottish, at Oak Bay High School ground.

Both games will start at 2 o'clock. Of the two fixtures it is difficult to rate the fixture Canadian Scottish-University School and Victoria College are expected to come through with wins over their respective opponents. This presumption is taken from the previous performances of the fifteens, but perhaps the Canadian Scottish and the Wanderers may surprise.

GOLF AS CHAMPIONS PLAY IT

REACH FINALS AT DEL MONTE GOLF

Mrs. Leitz and Mrs. Yount to Meet for Championship—Close Match Expected

DEL MONTE, Cal., Feb. 28.—That a real match will be staged in the tomorrow's eighteen-hole final for the women's Pebble Beach golf championship is indicated by C. C. Leitz, Chicago, mer's Mrs. J. M. Yount, San Francisco, is indicated by an analysis of today's scores of these semi-finals. Mrs. Leitz defeated Mrs. A. W. Clapp, St. Paul, four and three and Mrs. Yount won from Mrs. Hodges New York two up. Snap judgment would indicate a win for Mrs. Leitz, who is a clever golfer by every test than her lesser opponent of tomorrow.

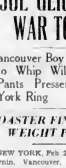
However, it is interesting to note that Mrs. Leitz's winning scores by and including the fifteenth hole today and this is as far as comparison is possible, as Mrs. Leitz won her matches here in the defeated right of the championship flight. Mrs. Howard Keeler, San Diego, defeated Mrs. Mildred Kelleher, of Pasadena three and five, and Mrs. Phil Ward, San Francisco, won from Mrs. Frank Moore, San Francisco, by default. The above two winners meet tomorrow.

McLARNIN AND JOE GLICK TO WAR TONIGHT

Vancouver Boy Is Favorite to Whip Williamsburg's Pants Presser in New York Ring

COASTER FINDING WEIGHT PROBLEM

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver, B.C., slugger, who meets Joe Glick in a ten-round match in Madison Square Garden tomorrow night, is worrying more about his weight than about Glick. McLarnin, who scored a decision over the lightweight division, signed to meet Glick at 138 pounds but he is finding it more than a little difficult even in making that figure.



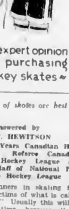
JIMMY McLARNIN

McLarnin had to get back to work today because he found he was ten pounds over the stipulated weight. He won't have any trouble making 138 pounds by tomorrow night, however, at noon, but this constant battle with the scales undoubtedly has had its effect on his temper.

The chances are that after this bout McLarnin will campaign exclusively among the welterweights.

Glick, a legitimate lightweight, has had no trouble with regard to the weight question. His cares won't start until he ventures into the ring tomorrow night. The Williamsburg battle promises to be a close decision to McLarnin in a recent Garden battle was on the short end of the considerable 6-3 and 2 to 1 betting tonight.

LESSONS IN HOCKEY



An expert opinion on the purchasing of hockey skates

What sort of skates are best for beginners?

Answered by
R. W. HEWTSON
For Fifteen Years Canadian Hockey Referee, Referee Canadian Professional Hockey League and Official on Staff of National Professional Hockey League

Many beginners in skating find themselves victims of what is called "weak ankles." Usually this will be overcome in time because it is merely a matter of building up strength in the ankle by constant skating. Some never overcome the difficulty because the ankles refuse to respond to this conditioning. And so to all beginners it would be well to buy what is commonly termed the "wide blade" skate. It is only natural to suppose that the wider blade gives more sureness and that is a great aid. There is more to grip the ice and more to "bite on" with in the early stages of learning. Then, too, the wider blades are better on soft ice for they do not dig so deeply. Later on a change may be made and the majority favor the lighter skates and the narrower blade of the "fake" variety. They enhance the speed and, of course, are not cumbersome. In other words, they give comfort where the wider blade is the early stages of learning surely. Beginners should at all times keep skates sharp. There is a tendency to overlook this and they wonder often why they slip. The sharpener skate grips the ice fit hold and it prevents that "spreading" or the tendency of the feet to go away from one another as far as so to lose balance. The sharp skate holds the ice, and especially on turning corners is the difference very noticeable.

FANS' CUP RACE KEENLY FOUGHT

As Season Draws to Close, Kelly, Evans, Kenny and Robertson Running Close for Trophy

It is almost a certainty that the Fans' Cup for the most valuable player on the Victoria Cricket Club will either be awarded to Jack Kelly, left-winger, Jimmy Evans, centre, Ernie Kenny, defence man, or Earl Robertson, goalie, according to the latest figures released yesterday by Harold Brown, organizer of the plan. These four pacemakers have been running close since the first ballots were deposited in the boxes, and as the season's end is close at hand, they still continue in practically the same order.

In all probability the ballots cast in the boxes during the remaining two home games on the Cub schedule, will decide the ultimate winner. During the past four or five games Evans has been gradually cutting Kelly's lead, and Kelly and Robertson are coming along in fine fashion. Kelly has led the parade since its inauguration shortly after the start of the season.

Previous to the start of the final game at the Willows Arena, Reginald Hayward, M.P.P. senior member for Victoria, will present the Hayward trophy to the winner.

Mr. Brown would like and hopes that the fans will speed up the voting and would also appreciate any small contributions deposited in the ballot boxes with the tickets.

CYCLING CLUB TO HOLD INITIAL RUN OF PRESENT SEASON

The Island Road Cycling Club will hold its first run of the season on Sunday. Members and others interested are asked to meet at the corner of Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street at 10 a.m. The ride will be to Sidney, where lunch will be taken at "The Cottage." A second run will be held from Hillside Avenue and Douglas Street on Wednesday, commencing at 7 o'clock.

The next monthly meeting will be held on Monday and all members are requested to be present. It is hoped that the programme for the present season may be drawn up. The secretary has been in communication with the Vancouver Wheelers, Ltd. and expects to see some of the Mainland riders here during the coming season.

LONDON PROMOTER OFFERS BIG SUM TO MATCH WALKER

LONDON, Feb. 28.—George Morland, London fight promoter, announced today that he was cabling Jack Kearns at Los Angeles an offer of £16,000 and 20 per cent of the gate receipts for a fight here in May between Mickey Walker and Alex Ireland, English titleholder. It is understood Ireland has accepted an offer to meet Walker if the fight can be arranged.

THE COLONIST

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Mark your ballot for the hockey player you consider the most valuable to the Victoria Hockey Club. A coupon has been presented by the fans for the player who receives the most votes. Name to be written plainly in following space. Ballot boxes will be placed at the Arena during the remaining games of the schedule, excepting the last.

NAME OF PLAYER

Name

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The wrong mental attitude does much to destroy one's game

To what extent does one's mental attitude aid or mar one's game?

Answered By
MRS. M. TYSON

Mental attitude means everything to the golfer in the matter of hazards, putts and even drives; in fact, a strong mental attitude probably goes farther toward destroying one's game than any other factor. Anticipation of a shot may frighten the muscles and as a consequence offer a mental hazard which must be overcome. Determination, confidence and a spirit of "never give up" will be found to be enormously helpful in assisting a golfer to correct a strong mental attitude.

Stribling Receives Largest Reward of Career From Fight

Loser Presented With Cheque Amounting to $63,549.31 by Dempsey and Company—Promoters Learned a Lot From First Attempt

By WALTER TRUMBULL
(Copyright, 1929, by the North American Newspaper Alliance.)

MIAMI BEACH, Fla., Feb. 28.—The Big day for the crowd was yesterday but this was the big day for the fighters.

At least, it was the big day for W. L. Stribling, Jr. While Sharkey received his $100,000 in advance, the young Georgian this morning got a cheque for $63,549.31.

The Stribling's do all their fighting as a corporation, so Pa Stribling did the actual collecting. He spoke feelingly and at length of his son's neutral. But was claim-like concerning Sharkey's body blows. He appeared, on the whole, in a happy state of mind. He should have been, because this was the largest reward ever obtained by the Stribllings for a bout. It represented 20 per cent of the gate, after the Federal tax of $78,623 had been deducted.

The total receipts were $405,940, but this is adding in some extras, such as the money obtained from various concessions. The gross from the fight proper was approximately $395,940, an amount much less subject to a few deductions, when Stribling's 20 per cent became effective.

The profits to the Garden corporation and Dempsey cannot be figured exactly until later, but I figure from an estimate that I made with Mr. Carey that they should run about $125,000.

Carey naturally is much pleased by the financial and social success of the fight. He has said publicly that the officials here gave him every possible assistance and that he hopes that the Garden may hold a big contest in this vicinity every year. The next one might not be held in Miami Beach, but it will be held in this part of Florida.

LEARNED A LOT

Both Carey and Dempsey learned a lot about promoting and handling boxing bouts. Next time they will build an arena with bigger exits, and will realize that an amateur ushers, however well-intentioned are capable of handling a 40,000 crowd. They learned of several other things which will be of future use and now realize what a remarkable promoter Tex Rickard was.

But, considering the circumstances, everything ran remarkably well. Dempsey was a mighty help. He had a chance to exercise his distinctive showmanship and displayed qualities that many doubted he possessed. He had seen out of this affair a bigger man than he went into it. And, all the way through, he got a great kick out of handling matters from outside the ropes.

Sharkey went back to Boston early this morning. Carey will be here for a few days more. Jack and Mrs. Dempsey had intended to move to a Miami Beach hotel in the morning, but tonight declared their intentions to fly to Havana tomorrow or the next day. After that their plans are a bit uncertain. Dempsey may go to New York, or he and Mrs. Dempsey may stay in this general part of the world for a couple of weeks.

Many censure Young Stribling for his showing in last night's encounter, mainly on account of the seeming opportunities he let slip, but I thought that he was a vastly improved fighter over the Stribling I last saw. He has developed a fine right hand and shortened up his punches. He has a good left jab. He took some savage body punching without flinching.

LACKED EXPERIENCE

He lost his chance through inexperience. That seems a strange thing to say of a fighter who has fought as often as Stribling, but he has been fighting duffs. Sharkey, on the other hand, has boxed men of much more class, and last night it was the knowledge gained in such fights that stood him in good stead. He fought a smart battle.

You must remember that Stribling is only twenty-five years old and that he has not had the most expert handling. He undoubtedly is happier with his family in his corner but few dockers are successful in treating their own relatives.

I think the boxing game may hear from Young Stribling in years to come. He is a promising prospect. And I never said that before.

HOCKEY RESULTS

TORONTO, Feb. 28.—Two ties in the standings of the Canadian Pro Hockey League were broken last night, when Hamilton Tigers and Kitchener played a scoreless draw in Kitchener. The one point brought the Dutchmen out of a tie with Toronto and Buffalo for third place, while Hamilton's gain of half a game advanced them a point ahead of Niagara Falls, with whom they were tied for the cellar position.

Canadian American Hockey
At Boston—Boston 2, Newark 1.

American Hockey Association
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Duluth 0, Minneapolis 0.

LONDON, Feb. 28.—In a match played under Rugby Union rules today, Wales defeated Bridgend by 13 points to 32.

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LARGE ENTRY LIST FOR HIGH AQUATIC MEET

Close to 200 Students Will Gather at Crystal Garden Tomorrow Night for First Swimming Gala

NINETEEN EVENTS ON PROGRAMME

The greatest sport event in the history of the Victoria High School is expected to take place tomorrow night at the Crystal Garden, when the first swimming gala of the institution will be carried out. Promptly at 7 o'clock the first group of youngsters will dive into the large tank in the boys' fifty yards race under sixteen. The lengthy list of events will terminate with some forty fair and students will compete in the candle race.

W. A. Roper, physical instructor, and Miss Mona Miller, physical instructress at the High School have been working to make the gala every a success for the part of Victoria. By the enthusiasm the students have taken in the affair, the efforts will be rewarded. Twelve events are arranged for the boys, while seven are booked for the girls.

The events are as follows:

BOYS' EVENTS

Fifty Yards, Under Sixteen Years—R. Helsdon, J. Barlow, O. Clayton, S. Metcalf, O. MacDonald, J. Tomple, C. Moor, D. Blair, M. Dayton, O. Findlay, R. Riddle, H. Morgan, J. Gaman, R. Brown, O. Dixon, F. Waring, F. McDonald, E. Fox and K. Billingsley.

Fifty Yards, Under Eighteen Years—A. Vinnie, N. Taylor, F. Riddle, E. Roskelly, D. Dowsell and O. Beall.

Fifty Yards Breaststroke—A. Young, F. Bayliss, E. Roskelly, R. Webster, H. Dixon, C. Luttrell, I. Strang, D. McDonald, L. Bagry, R. Riddle, R. McKenzie, O. Macdonald, F. Scott and G. Griffiths.

Fifty Yards Backstroke—L. Bagry, J. Bass, E. Roskelly, O. Macdonald, A. Young, O. Findlay and E. Fullerton.

Hundred Yards Backstroke—O. Moor, O. Blair, P. Riddle, E. Roskelly and A. Young.

Plunge for Distance—F. E. Ross, E. Roskelly, M. Dayton, O. Findlay, C. Luttrell, R. Taylor, W. Gibson, E. T. Winslow, A. Young and A. Caldwell.

Diving, Under Fifteen Years—O. Findlay, H. Haikala, A. McKeachie and E. Fullerton.

Diving, Over Fifteen Years—G. Fraser, C. Luttrell, K. Billingsley, G. Scott, A. Young, H. Hibbard, A. McKeachie, O. Wright and E. Fullerton.

Fifty Yards, Ex-High Boys—E. F. Barnard and R. A. Moffatt.

Diving for Plates—F. E. Ross, L. Bagry, F. Riddle, H. Hibbard, J. Margison, J. Bruce, F. Welsh, F. Bourne, A. McGregor, J. Baxter, E. Porter, W. Cameron, G. Griffiths, R. Morley, M. Floyer, M. Dayton, W. Sawyer, A. McKeachie, O. Findlay, A. Caddell, F. Bayliss, A. Webster, A. Young, B. Hatch, H. Haikala, P. Johnson, O. Moore, R. Brown, C. Luttrell, B. Taylor, K. Billingsley, G. MacDonald, E. Winslow, I. Strang, C. Chalmers, R. Dale and O. Clayton.

Dressy Pole—L. Bagry, M. Charlebois, J. Holyoake, M. Dayton, R. Taylor, J. Barlow, O. Clayton, R. Caddell, J. Todd, F. McDonald, H. Peck, F. Johnson, H. Haikala, O. Moore, O. MacDonald, A. Young, O. Aylwin, G. Griffiths, H. Hibbard, R. Gale and H. Corbie.

Two Hundred Yards Relay, Interyear—E. Roskelly, O. Findlay, K. Billingsley, E. Fox, F. Riddle, A. Young, O. Moore and R. Taylor.

GIRLS' EVENTS

Fifty Yards Dash, Under Eighteen—E. Hindsell, H. Hewett, H. Beck, P. Best, L. Dawley, E. Carstron, T. Locke, M. Mellor, M. Dickenson and M. Sparks.

Under Sixteen—G. Watson, B. Hoover, B. Gimmell, M. Stevens, L. Webb, M. Sharp, O. Heywood, M. Tolmie, M. Thompson, L. Spark, E. Sharp, F. Arnason, L. Lanchuck, K. Ottenger, L. Lang, O. Harder, A. Beck, G. Hancock and M. Heatley.

Under Fourteen—W. Hasenfratz, D. McLaren, E. Cotton and E. Thomson.

Diving—L. Steele, B. Gimmell and P. Morrison.

Under Fifteen—D. Hodson and H. Beck.

Beginners' Race, Thirty Yards—F. Arnason, M. Anderson, O. Price, O. Heywood, M. Culhbert, D. Bayliss, C. Humphreys, E. Abbott, W. Maven, R. Lee, B. Cameron, P. Brown, A. Stevens, K. Hall, L. Alertson, J. Pryatt, B. Stewart, D. McLaren, M. Stimpson, T. McFadden, A. MacQuarrie, M. Allen, M. Vanderburgh and M. Thompson.

Fifty Yards, Breaststroke—O. Hinter, P. Best, M. Dickenson, B. Oldfield, O. Harder, M. Brenner, B. Wingate, P. Thornton, B. McEwen, N. Smith, J. Speed, O. Hancock, L. Lanchuck, E. Cotton, A. MacQuarrie, W. Mellor, L. Dawley, L. Spark and M. Heatley.

Candle Race—L. Steele, K. Hall, P. Newton, O. Heywood, P. Noble, S. Gimmell, M. Schofield, T. Locke, T. Speed, L. Spark, M. Anderson, C. Hunter, B. Fletcher, M. Davies, H. Baillies, L. Lanchuck, M. Mercer, O. Harcock, M. McKinning, B. Elkin, N. Brewster, M. Dickenson, M. Maguire, M. Parker, P. Thornton, M. Moffat, L. Dawley, H. Hewett, K. Alertson, M. Sharp, H. Beck, B. McEwen, A. MacQuarrie, N. Smith, B. McKinning, M. Brenner, B. Oldfield, P. Best, F. Arnason, E. Cotton, T. Plant, O. Harder and W. Mellor.

DOG SHOW DETAILS ARE COMPLETED

Everything Is in Readiness for Last Parlor Event of Present Season —Many Beautiful Prizes

Final arrangements for the last parlor show of the season to be staged by the Victoria City Kennel Club tomorrow night at the West-holme Hotel, have been completed, and nothing has been left undone by the committee in charge to insure success.

Judging from inquiries received there will be a record entry on hand when Judge Burns commences his work. The secretary has already received an entry of four Airedale puppies from the famous Linton Kennels. These puppies will, no doubt, make the competition interesting as their sire and dam were both winners of the coveted purple before their present owner imported them.

Among the number of kennels that will be represented are the Dovedale, Bashkan, Merbrook, Craigside, Sky-ye, Pinehill, Shantung, Bank Bay, Hi Born and Glenmoor. There will also be one or more representatives of the English pugs, which are rapidly coming again into favor.

Premiums prizes will be awarded, and of this number, six will go to puppies and three to the children's classes. The green class which is for dogs and bitches of all breeds and ages, that have never been always before, is well provided for in the prize list.

Owing to the large number of entries expected, two officials will take duties at the door from 7 to 7 o'clock, and after that time none can be accepted, as the judging will commence at 7:30 sharp.

Barbuti Peeves Amateur Dukes; Gets Suspension

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Ray Barbuti, Olympic 400-metre champion, was suspended indefinitely today by the regulation committee of the Metropolitan Association of the Amateur Athletic Union. The action was taken as a result of published statements credited to Barbuti, criticizing the A.A.U. and its officers.

AUSTRALIAN XI TO BE REVAMPED

Team to Meet England in Fifth Test Match, March 8, to Undergo Several Changes

MELBOURNE, Australia, Feb. 28.—Australia's critics held test match team, which has undergone several notable changes since the first international match with the English side now touring the Antipodes, will again be revamped for the fifth and last contest, which begins here on March 8.

Australia is now experimenting with young players with an eye on the tour in England in 1930. For the last test, three new players will be tried out. They are Fairfax, a young New South Wales batsman Wall, South Australian bowler of promise, and Hornibrook, Queensland, a left-handed bowler.

The captaincy of the Australian team will remain in the hands of J. A. Ryder, Victoria.

Probably no announcement will be made about the English team until the last moment.

England has a match with Victoria here beginning Friday, which will act as a curtain-raiser to the last test match.

"I thought sure Jim would marry one of the twins."

"No, he said if he couldn't have an exclusive model he wouldn't have any."—Yorkshire Post.

Manush Could Have Used Extra Shingles
THE BATTLING EYES OF HENRIK MANUSH, THE RARE HITTING CUFF FILDER OF THE ST. LOUIS BROWNS
THE STORY OF "GOOSE" GOSLIN, WHO HAS MADE THE WORLD'S SERIES, THE WORLD'S SERIES, WHO WILL MAKE THE LEAGUE THIS YEAR!
MANUSH GOSLIN RUTH SIMMONS GEHRIG
L. Lessner
By Al. DEMAREE
Former Pitcher New York Giants
Henie Manush is down at West Palm Beach, Fla., for the Louis training camp in search of one or possibly two extra base hits for the coming season.
If Manush had made 242 hits instead of 241 last year he would have had the same percentage as "Goose" Goslin, who led the American League batters. The "Goose" wasn't accommodating enough to log one hit off his own total, so the best Henie could do was second honors.
Manush will have some other heavy hitters as contenders besides Goslin in his campaign to get those two extra hits and lead the league this year.
Lou Gehrig is knocking at the door. Al Simmons is about due and Babe Ruth would like to win the batting championship as well as the home run honors, to use in dealing with the Yankee owners for his 1929 contract. Harry Heilmann cannot be ignored.
Who will top the hitting honors in the American League? Let me hear from you, fans. Maybe you believe a dark horse will grab the championship.

TADDYWAWA WINS EASILY WITH IMPOST

Charlie Irwin's Horse Spots Dr. Wilson 28 Pounds and Cops Feature Race at Tijuana

VACHELL'S DEFEAT IS BIG SURPRISE

(Associated In The Colonist)

TIJUANA, Feb. 28.—Charley Irwin's Taddywawa, with a twenty-eight-pound pull in weight over Doctor Wilson, the favorite, won the event carded as the main attraction, the Orange Blossom Handicap. The three-year-old filly made her opposition look as sore (pat) feet after reaching the midway mark and increased her lead from the stretch mouth to the wire. Doctor Wilson, running his usual good race, reached contention at the second quarter, and handily beat his stablemate, Bridegroom, for the place.

The major marked favorite, Vachell, in the fifth race at a mile and an eighth was the day's biggest upset. Jockey Willie Garrett, evidently underestimated the finishing ability of the jaded-looking Louie Wright and Sapedilla, who had something left after pushing the favorite along for more than a mile. Wright and Garrett got busy. Vachell moved forward faster than the others, but could only get to the show hole.

Max L. Rowe slipped out of the conventing class in the first race.

Results follow:

First race—Four furlongs:
Mel. Ed Sweet (Bonner) $11.30 3.70 3.30
Rich Hogan (Allen) 8.20 3.80
Ted (Wright) 3.80
Time: :22 and :46. Carlo Mario, Antoir O. Bi Lark, Pioneer Club, Sea Island, Tony Pepper, Ruth Ann, Scrabbled, Sasabon, Son of Velia, Mardi Gras, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Marco, Prince Hong, Tin Pin.

Second race—Mile and seventy yards:
Bastion (Dunlap) $ 9.30 3.70 3.00
Barrie Oliver (Kerby) 3.20 3.00
Sapedilla (Wright) 3.00
Time: :14 flat. Age cap. Sath Ann, Charla Grace, Hoop Harman, Olive Willow, Ruth Ann, Pancho, Kalinich, Sunset Flower, Pancho.

Third race—Four furlongs:
Taddywawa (Irwin) $14.60 3.60 3.00
Carmelo (Max) 18.60 6.00
Tan Sweet (De Pond) 7.00
Time: :49. Also ran: Cap's Mine, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Sunset Flower, Sunset Flower, Mary Flower, Scrabbled, Golden M, Ellen Dale, Sheila Ex Kind, Little Bess Isabel, Sunset.

Fourth race—Mile and seventy yards:
Vachell (Garrett) $12.90 5.80 4.00
Ric Effect (Jones) 17.60 7.00
Virginia Beach (Kyle) 5.00
Time: :1.39 flat. Also ran: Mine Lester, Sunset Flower, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Kneadmeet, Kneadmeet, Sailor, Olive's Chick, Heartache, Sapedilla.

Fifth race—Mile and an eighth:
Louie Wright (Garr) $14.00 3.80 3.00
Second Thought (Irwin) 4.60 2.80
Vacant (Kerby) 3.00
Time: 1.58. Also ran: Mallie Dear, Sunset Flower, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Kneadmeet, Frank Sweeney, Sailor, Green Hills, Kitchel Maclier, Burial Mound, Sunset, Ruth Ann.

Sixth race—Six furlongs:
Dr. Wilson (Garrett) $ 9.60 3.80 3.00
Bridegroom (Irwin) 3.80 3.00
War Dancer (Barrett) 3.00
Time: :1.14 flat. Sawbrush, Vinie Dr, Grenadier Guard, Conversation, Sunset Flower, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Kneadmeet, Sailor, Orange Blossom, Taddywawa (Dunlap) $ 7.20 3.60 3.20
Dr. Wilson (Garrett) 4.60 2.80
Bridegroom (Barrett) 3.00
Time: :1.14 flat. Also ran: Sunset Charmer, Wonderful, Sunset Flower, Sir Rap, Quick Return, Scrabbled, Sunset.

Eighth race—Mile and an eighth:
Tijuana Maid (Garrett) $ 7.00 3.20 3.00
Sidna Dr. (Dunlap) 3.00 2.80
Sun Pile (Landman) 2.80
Time: 1.53. Also ran: Ormondale, Petrish, Rocky Lane, Wolfe, Burning Wish, Sunset Flower, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Ruth Ann, Quick Up, Sunset Belle, Yawed, Tenacious.

TWILIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Four furlongs:
Pilot Boy
Sills Wonder
Cliffo
Lady Whistler
Sandbagger
Benny
Ruth Ann
Prince Hong
Pancho
Parrots McKoon
Robert L.
Correct
Violetta
Sunset Amazer
Sunset Wanderer
Lucoma
Sunset Belle
Lubenica
Sunset Flower
Sonic
Czech Band
Little Venus
Olive Bunk
Ruth Ann
Paradoxon
Gallantry Jo
Dr Jones
Port Warden
Sunset
Frederick
Dunadon
Sunset Flower
Woodlawn
Wonderbarn
Sunset Flower
Rocko
Tijuana Jr
Tijuana Lad—Six furlongs
Grenadier
Del Dunn
Salamon
Ruth Ann
Wishbone
Golden Antrim
Barbara
Clui
Sunset Flower
Miss Sunset
Queen Bess
Kitty B
Dax
Dr. Caulk
Dr. Howe
Audrey B
Sunset
Tiburon
Ruth Ann—Six furlongs
Mimic
High Will
Wrack
Yrizilla Lightning
Sunset Flower
Woodlawn
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Tiburon
Carbon
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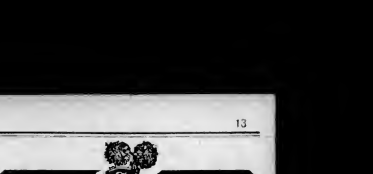
Sunset
The Beaite
Miss Bowman
Sunset Flower
Van Bibber
Rosalillo
Pills race—Six furlongs
Mimic
Sunset
Pelade
Pendonana
Sir John B
Miss Mae
Bolo
Kit Carson
Tom Fox
Thomson Brothers entry
Sunset Flower—Six furlongs
Turk's Cap
War Bone
Alta
Tempest
Sunset
Sweet Way
Shasta Peer
Seventh race—Mile and a sixteenth:
Quick Return
Sunset
Star of Ann
Pendale
Sportania Whistler
Andrewberg
Sunset Flower
Yakor
Greek entry
Sixth race—One mile
Sunset
Sabine Gwen
Wanderer



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HEENEY AND MALONEY SET FOR BATTLE

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BOSTON FIGHTER FAVORED TO WIN

BOSTON, Feb. 28.—Installed as a 10-to-5 favorite in the betting, Jimmy Maloney, Boston heavyweight, today ended training for what he considers the most important bout of his ursain career, the tenround clash with Tom Heeney, of New Zealand, tomorrow night at the Boston Garden. Maloney appeared in remarkable shape and was confident that he would dispose of Heeney in easy fashion thereby gaining revenge for the one-round knockout the New Zealander scored on him in their first meeting eighteen months ago.

TOM HEENEY

GARAGE LEAGUE HOCKEY TEAMS PLAY TONIGHT

First Game of Play-Off Series Between Humphries and Plimley's Will Be Contested This Evening

BITTER STRUGGLE IS ANTICIPATED

When Referee "Cy" Paxton blows his whistle tonight at 8:15 o'clock it will be the start of the first game of the play-off series for the Home Oil Cup, between A. R. Humphries' Dodges and Thomas Plimley Whippets. The second game of the series will be played next Friday, and the third game will decide the winner of the handsome silver cup.

It is expected that a large crowd will be on hand to boost for their favorite squads, as seat sales have been good. Those attending are assured of a first-class exhibition of hockey. A preliminary game, starting at 7.15 o'clock, will be played between Plimley & Ritchey's Aerette and a team composed of all-stars.

The puck will be faced off for the play-off game by Leo Tweedie, referee of the city amateur hockey president of the league. Both the Whippets and Dodges play a wide-open game and there should be plenty of scoring. Sawyers and Thompson, the latter recently winning the Whittaker & Beverough Cup for high scoring honors, are expected to star for Plimley's, while Edgerson, Wright and Hinge will be the feared sharpshooters on the Dodge squad.

Children under the age of fifteen, accompanied by parents or guardian, will be admitted free.

The teams are as follows:

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Vancouver Island News

SHIP LOGS TO FULL CAPACITY

SIX TRAINLOADS LEAVING LAKE COWICHAN DEPOT DAILY

Crofton and Chemainus Receiving Bulk of Timber—Portable Sawmill Now Being Erected

LAKE COWICHAN, Feb. 28.—The E. & N. Railway station presents a very busy scene these days as they are shipping to capacity. Six trainloads of logs are going out daily, the V. L. & M. Co. (Camp 16), shipping two or three trainloads to Chemainus and three or four trainloads being loaded at Nos. 1 and 3 to be dumped at Crofton.

The new Willamette skidder, which has been set up at Camp 10, (V. L. & M. Co.), will increase the daily capacity to thirty cars. A large 110-ton straight-connected locomotive will soon greatly facilitate switching operations at Camp 16. This large locomotive is now in Chemainus waiting shipment to the Lake.

Sam Handra, who is logging at the North Arm, is shipping over the E. & N. Railway to Mayo sawmill. A boom of some 300,000 feet having just been towed down to be loaded at this end.

The portable saw mill, which is being erected by the Baylis Brothers on their property near Grant's Lake for cutting ties and lumber, will soon be in operation and it is expected that it will cut about five thousand feet daily.

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MR. J. C. CAMPBELL SPEAKS IN NANAIMO

NANAIMO, Feb. 27.—An interesting address was given by Mr. J. C. Campbell, of the Department of the Interior of the Dominion Government, who spoke on "National Parks and the Wild Life Therein," before a large crowd of Canadian Club members in the Canadian Legion Hall last evening. The lecture was a preface to several reels of motion pictures which depicted on the screen the scenic beauties of the Dominion, and the wild animals of the Dominion, which are not only educational, but held the audience from the beginning until the final picture was shown.

Mr. John Rudge, chairman, welcomed the speaker, stating that Nanaimoites were about to hear a lecture that had been delivered in the most important cities across the continent.

Solos were rendered by Mr. Norman Carter and Mrs. Drysdale, and Mrs. Keighley acted as accompanist.

SIDNEY BENEFITS FROM MOVEMENT

Guide and Scout Hall Helps Development of Movement in Sidney District

SIDNEY, Feb. 27.—The monthly meeting of the Sidney Brownie and Guide Association was held in the Guide and Scout Hall, Bazan Avenue, on Tuesday afternoon. The president, Mrs. Goddard, occupied the chair and opened the meeting at which there was a good attendance of members. The secretary, Mrs. LeVack, read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were adopted, and the treasurer then presented her report, which was found most satisfactory.

In her yearly report, Mrs. Goddard traced the building of the Guide and Scout Hall. The building of the hall was first suggested in May, and the many benefits to be obtained by the Guides and Scouts being able to have the unrestricted use of their own rooms, where their work might be left undisturbed from meeting to meeting, and the asset of having their own building, spurred the association to carry on the work. A lot was donated by Mr. Goddard for the building, and through the donations received from various organizations, societies, interested friends and merchants, proceeds from a garden fete held at Shoal Arm, through the kindness of Mrs. S. K. Kalisch in Sidney, funds raised by the children themselves, who entered into the scheme wholeheartedly and used their individual talents to the general purpose, enabled the association to purchase the old V. & S. station, which was moved to the lot, and renovations commenced. The Toc H, of Victoria, on several occasions came out and did considerable work on the building. The general building has been carried on slowly, and the hall has been gradually outfitted, and is now in good shape for meetings and work of the Guides and Scouts. Although there is still a debt on the hall, there is a balance in the bank, and in order to increase the funds for the hall, the association is planning to hold a tea and sale of fancy novelties on Tuesday afternoon, March 26, from 3 to 6 o'clock. Mrs. A. W. Hollands was appointed convener of the tea, Mrs. C. C. Monroe and Mrs. King were placed in charge of the novelties, while the candy stall was put in the hands of Mrs. Critchley and Miss Lander. The affair promises to be an enjoyable one, and will give everyone an opportunity of seeing the hall.

Routine matters being disposed of, the election of officers for the ensuing year then took place, resulting as follows: President, Mrs. G. E. Goddard; vice-president, Mrs. King; secretary, Mrs. LeVack; treasurer, Mrs. C. C. Monroe, all re-elected.

NATIVE SONS HOLD BANQUET

NANAIMO POST HOSTS TO PROVINCIAL GATHERING OF ORDER

Hear Reminiscences of Pioneer Days—Negotiations for Park Project Are Explained

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—In the Masonic Hall last evening the Native Sons of British Columbia, Post No. 2, were hosts to a gathering of Native Sons of the Province at a banquet, which continued in community singing and short speeches.

Chief factor of the post, Ben Ellis R. Kelly, presided, and called upon several members and guests to give impromptu speeches concerning the progress and welfare of the Native Sons of British Columbia. Grand historian of the post, Mr. Victor B. Harrison, gave a short reminiscence of the pioneer days of the province and set forth briefly the programme which the Native Sons had followed in the past in helping to establish community enterprises.

He mentioned the negotiations which the Native Sons had made with the institution of a large game reserve or park in the vicinity of Victoria, where, as he pointed out, the game was at present plentiful, and the city, which is visited for tourist attractions, abounded with high mountains, tall timber stands, pretty lakes and picturesque mountain streams. He expressed the belief that if this object, which the local sons had been striving for for the past eight years, would shortly make-or-mine.

Other speakers of the evening were F. Thomas, of Post No 7, Ladysmith; J. Muir, J. McDerrick, Dr. G. A. B. Hall, E. C. Gibson, J. D. Galloway, C. M. Reynolds, P. Allison and H. Bate. Mr. J. D. Galloway led the community singing.

World Brotherhood Subject of Address To Young People

SIDNEY, Feb. 28.—The weekly meeting of the Young People's Society of the Sidney United Church was held on Tuesday evening in the Wesley Hall. The opening services were conducted by Fry Hill, followed by a ten-minute talk by Rev. W. Lees on the Book of Jeremiah. The president, William Boother, then took the chair.

The next meeting in take the form of a lantern lecture, when about 200 slides, kindly loaned by the Canadian National Railways, illustrating some of the beautiful scenery across Canada, will be shown. The public is cordially invited to attend.

At the conclusion of the business meeting the president introduced Miss Peck, who gave a most interesting and very helpful address on "World Brotherhood." At the conclusion of her speech a hearty vote of thanks was tendered to Miss Peck for her kindness in addressing the society, and a long and animated discussion followed.

PANTHER HUNT AT LAKE COWICHAN PROVES EXCITING

LAKE COWICHAN, Feb. 28.—Great excitement prevailed on Monday night about half-past ten when Mr. George Johnson and his two hounds went out on the trail of a cougar. This cat had been seen within a quarter of a mile of the village by several people on Sunday, in the vicinity of Sam Hindra's old camp and Greendale.

Going down in his truck about 10 o'clock on Monday evening, Mr. Johnson sighted the panther on the road near Greendale gate but although he had his gun, it was not loaded, and during the loading process the cat took to the woods. The dogs gave chase and tired it. The hunters found the going difficult and had to go back to the car for lights.

In the meantime there was a heavy thump and a rustling; the dogs started barking excitedly and all were off again in mad pursuit of their quarry, which again crossed the road into Greendale and thence to the Cowichan River which it swam.

Gaining a boat from Mr. Green, the excited hunters rowed across, the dogs again picking up the scent and giving chase until the animal was finally treed near Grants Lake and shot.

Today Mr. Johnson's garage is the centre of attraction, the cougar being on view. It weighed about 120 pounds and is about seven feet long. This is the closest that any prowler in the shape of a cougar has been to the settlement.

OPTIMISTS' MEETING

COLWOOD, Feb. 28.—The monthly meeting of the Colwood Optimist Club will be held at Nightingale on Saturday, March 2, instead of at Mrs. E. Shields' home as previously arranged.

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Young People Hear Address on Birds

KEATING, Feb. 28.—The Young People's Society of the South Saanich United Church held its weekly meeting in the church parlor on Monday evening. Miss Eileen Sherring presided over the devotional period, after which Rev. W. Lees gave a short address on the Book of Jeremiah. The subject of the meeting was Mr. L. Taylor, of Mount Newton, who gave an interesting talk on "The Wonders of Bird Life." He explained the many interesting habits of a number of tropical and other birds. Mr. Taylor received a hearty vote of thanks for his address.

There will be no meeting of the society next Monday evening as the dress rehearsal will be held that of the play, "He's My Pal."

PICK TEAM FOR PROVINCE CUP

LADYSMITH AND NANAIMO COMBINE TO REPRESENT UP-ISLAND

Strong Eleven Chosen at Meeting of Association—Training to Start Shortly

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—In St. John Hall last evening a meeting of members of the Up-Island Football Association was held. A senior football team was picked, comprised of players from Nanaimo and Ladysmith, to represent the association in the coming Provincial Cup competition.

The president of the association, D. McNeil, was in the chair, and Charles Caillin, secretary; James Knight, and W. Patterson, Ladysmith, represented on the board, and William Rafter, Ladysmith manager, and W. Morgan, trainer, were present from Ladysmith, while W. Hancock, local member, A. Philipps, trainer, and Pete Maffeo, manager for Nanaimo, were present for Nanaimo. All players of both teams were also in attendance, and all expressed their intention of starting immediate and strenuous training.

The secretary will at once get in communication with outside teams, and will endeavor to arrange a game with either a Vancouver or Victoria team for the near future. The team as chosen last evening is as follows: Goal, Orr; backs, Thompson and Edmunds; halves, Wargo, Holliday and Heap; forwards, Smart, Sandland, Bjornson, Hallinan and Stone. Aitken and Muir are the spares.

Mrs. D. MacKinnon Dies at Nanaimo

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—The death occurred in the local hospital yesterday afternoon of Mrs. Donald A. N. MacKinnon. The deceased has resided here for the past two years, having been born in Ontario. Before coming here she was a well-known resident of Port Arthur, Ont. She leaves to mourn, besides her husband, who is manager of the Imperial Oil Company, Nanaimo, one son, Donald M., and two daughters, Verna E. and Irene M., all of Nanaimo. She is also survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Phillip, of Winnipeg, and five brothers and three sisters.

OPIUM BRINGS STIFF SENTENCE

NANAIMO, Feb. 28.—In the police court yesterday, Mah Quong, a local Chinese, was convicted of having opium in his possession, and was sentenced to twelve months' imprisonment and a fine of $300. In default of payment of the fine, an additional three months' imprisonment must be served, at the discretion of which he will be deported to China.

Young People's League

DUNCAN, Feb. 28.—The literary department had charge of the programme for the regular weekly meeting of the Young People's League of the United Church, held on Monday evening. Miss Eila Hood presided. A solo, "Teach Me to Pray," by Mis Mae Burlich, was much appreciated. Short talks on "Authors and Their Books" were given by Mrs. Wilfred Kelly, Rev. W. P. Burns and Mr. Cecil Mathews. Mr. A. Burkholder, who was in charge of the evening's topic, spoke on "How We as a Society May Promote Good Reading." Despite the terrible conditions of the roads, owing to the thaw following heavy frost, there was twenty-five in attendance.

Bridge Club Meets

SIDNEY, Feb. 28.—The weekly meeting of the Get-Together Bridge Club was held on Tuesday afternoon at "Manor Farm," East Road, the home of Mrs. E. Livesay. A very pleasant social afternoon was enjoyed, and cards were played at five tables. Friendly competition during the game resulted in the ladies' first prize being presented to Mrs. Henry G. Horth, while the consolation honors went to Mrs. Patterson. The afternoon's lemonade prize was awarded to Mrs. A. Critchley.

At the termination of the game, Mrs. Livesay served refreshments, and the members accepted the kind invitation of Mrs. R. N. MacAulay to hold next week's meeting at her home on the East Road.

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—Hon. James Robb, Minister of Finance, today announced the appointment of Frank S. Jacobs, of Dewinton, Alberta, to the vacancy on the tariff advisory board. Mr. Jacobs is a farmer and ranchman. Hon. D. C. McKenzie, who resigned to enter the Provincial Government of Manitoba.

Conservative Party Whips

ANNOUNCEMENT has been made at Ottawa that Major-General A. McRae (1), member for North Vancouver, has been appointed chief whip of the Conservative party; Sam Charters (2), member for Peel, remains chief parliamentary whip, and E. W. Rowe (3), member for Dufferin-Simcoe, has been appointed whip on committees.

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

PAIN AND REMEDIES

Most diseases are simply efforts of the body to protect itself against toxic substances or irritating germs. The number of supposedly specific medicines against specific diseases is being decreased as more is being understood about the functions of the human body. The fact is that nature created no specific remedies to combat specific disease.

Some diseases are caused by a lack of certain elements the body and when these elements are supplied, the disease disappears, but these remedies could scarcely be called medicines. They are foods which the body requires.

The use of a remedy to relieve a pain or alleviate serious symptoms for a time is often helpful, but it must not be considered as a cure. In this hurry-up age it is undoubtedly pardonable to relieve physical distress as soon as possible, but great danger lies in the fact that pain is a warning symptom of the body, and removing the pain without removing the original cause of the trouble would be dangerous. It would be just as sensible to do away with fog horns, alarm bells and whistles from locomotives because the noise is annoying.

How many home remedies are consumed by people who do not know what they are swallowing, and who do not consider the origin of their disease? When a pain appears in the body it is not enough that we discover some trick treatment to make the pain disappear. We should really make a thorough investigation at the same time to try to discover the real cause of the pain, which is not usually removed by the remedy which relieves the pain.

If your automobile was broken down, it would of course be permissible for you to use any means of assistance for conveying your automobile to the nearest garage, but after it was there you would probably insist that the mechanic thoroughly fix the broken part. You should do at least as much for your body, which certainly is far more precious than any automobile.

Dr. William Osler, that famous dean of physicians, once aptly stated, "Medicines probably have no effect whatever upon the diseases for which they are administered." What do you suppose the eminent an investigator meant by that statement? Simply this: that at best drugs can only relieve symptoms and, if the disease disappears, the remedy given to stop the pain did not contribute in any way in removing the real cause of the pain.

The fact of the matter is that the body can often cure itself if it is given the proper assistance, or even in some cases if it is not too greatly handicapped. Often the patient gets well in spite of the treatment used. But I would like you to give more thought to the cause of the disease than to the effects. When the cause is not banished there will always be a return of either the same symptoms or of others more serious, which, in a casual glance, might seem to have no connection with the former trouble.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy should address letters: Dr. Frank McCoy, c.o. Bell Syndicate, 154 Nassau Street, New York, U.S.A.

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"SALADA" ORANGE PEKOE BLEND TEA

'Fresh from the gardens'

Lindberg and His Fiancee Again Go Flying in Plane

MEXICO CITY, Feb. 28.—Unscathed by yesterday's "mishap," Colonel Lindbergh and Miss Anne Morrow today flew for more than thirty minutes over Vallejuna field. The colonel used one hand in handling a commercial plane which he borrowed for the flight. They took off at 10:27 a.m., landed ten minutes later and twice repeated that procedure.

Miss Morrow seemed a trifle nervous as she entered the plane, but after the three short hops she was as smiling as the colonel. Both were in gay spirits as they climbed out of the plane.

"My dear," said a wife who had been married three years, "tell me what first attracted you to me—what pleasant characteristic did I possess which placed me above other women in your sight?"

"I give it up!" answered the husband distractedly.

"I'll go to work for You, Mother"

BRAVE words, bravely spoken. Boyish shoulders, braced to lift burden of responsibility beyond their strength.

It is a tragedy so common as to create but little comment . . . children starting out to fight life's battles, unequipped.

Have you thought of the story behind the little figure that urges you to buy a paper . . . that begs the chance to run an errand, for a few sorely-needed coppers? Have you imagined the plans that may have been made for his education—the hopes, held in happier days, for his future?

And have you considered what would be the fate of *your* boy . . . your girl . . . should you be taken away?

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SCOTTISH TO BATTLE BAYS

Important Rugby Match Carded for the Willows Tomorrow at 3 o'Clock—J.B.A.A. Need Win

RIVAL SQUADS WILL BE STRONG

Bob McInnes and his J.B.A.A. "ruggers" will battle the Canadian Scottish fifteen at the Willows oval tomorrow afternoon in an important fixture and one that may mean the finale of the present season so far as the Bays are concerned. Here's the situation in a nutshell: The Canadian Scottish lads went out and copped the honors in the first half and just when things were about to be resumed in the second half of the schedule the Navy were forced to drop out on account of a shortage of players. To make matters worse or better, just as you want it, the Pirates withdrew from further competition, leaving the Bays and the Militiamen in the loop.

Tomorrow's game might easily be termed a championship affair, as it means just that much to the J.B.A.A. If they are successful in repelling the attack of the crack militia fifteen a play-off series for the city title will be held, but if the Canadian Scottish come through with a win, it will be just too bad for the Bays. The kick-off for the important struggle is set for 3 o'clock.

FOOTBALL LINE-UPS

Bapcos — Farquhar, McKenzie, Hogarth, Mitterell, Moody, Hook, Briggs, Smith Kettle, Taylor and J. Briggs. Reserves, V. Smith and Bleasdale.

Royal Oak — Johnston, Leggett, Robbins, Otenny Gibson, Williams, Viggers, Robbins, Terry, Halket and Campbell. Reserves, Moore and Millar.

Maple Leafs will be selected from the following: Baxter, Pearse, Magee, Curnow, Quigley, Blackstock, Peters, Smith, Bichard, Drysdale, Wilson, Bird and Fuller.

Peace (sadly): "This looks very like the place we started from."
Sydney Bounders, London.

In Fight for Control of Standard Oil Unit

Last of Commissioners Passes Through City

Sir Arthur Duckham, Leader of British Economic Mission to Australia, Completes Official Tour of Commonwealth

Leader of the recent British Economic Mission to Australia, Sir Arthur Duckham, distinguished British engineer and chemist, arrived here last night on board the liner Niagara, with members of his family.

Two members of the commission, Sir Hugo Hirst and Sir Bristol Clark, preferred to return home by way of the Panama Canal, while the fourth member, Mr. D. O. Malcolm, director of the British South Africa Company, came through Victoria by the last sailing of the Aorangi from New Zealand.

They completed and issued their report as the result of an exhaustive tour of every state of the Commonwealth early in January. The report was tabled with the Australian Prime Minister. While they were selected and commissioned by the Imperial Government, they sat in Australia as guests of the home Government, and responsible to it.

Sir Arthur was the only address he plans to give in Canada is that to the Vancouver Canadian Club on Friday.

The commission has stressed closer ties between Australia and Great Britain in industry, and that greater aid should be given to the work of the Development and Migration Commissions, and the Council for Scientific and Industrial Research. The commission finds that while protection is the settled policy of Australia, it considers the policy is not being satisfactorily and economically administered. In the opinion of the mission the system of settling industrial disputes by arbitration courts has failed.

GLOVE FAN RIDES MULE 500 MILES TO SEE BIG MIX

MIAMI BEACH, Feb. 28—Transportation obstacles mean little to J. O. Redd, Georgia companion of W. L. (Young) Stribling and fight fan extraordinary.

Determined to see his idol's fight with Jack Sharkey, Redd was confronted with the task of getting here from his home in Osmak, Ga., 500 miles distant.

So he came astride his mule, according to his story.

JUNIOR FOOTBALL

The Junior League soccer games scheduled for tomorrow are as follows:

Esquimalt vs. Bapcos, Victoria West Park, referee Bridges.

Royal Oak vs. Y.M.C.A., Central Park, referee Armstrong.

Victoria City vs. Oaklands, upper ground Beacon Hill; referee, Robb.

All games will start at 3 o'clock.

German Boxer Wins

LIVERPOOL, Feb. 28—Ted Sandwina, Germany, stopped Roland Todd, of England, in the fourth round of their bout here tonight.

FEBRUARY COLD, BRIGHT MONTH

FOR THIRTEEN DAYS RESIDENTS EXPERIENCED HARD FROSTS

Total Precipitation Just a Fraction Over Inch, While Sunshine Is 22 Hours Above Average

A bright but cold month and normally dry, is the way Napier Denison, director of the Dominion Meteorological Observatory at Gonzales Heights, described the month of February, as far as weather conditions were concerned. Although the month came in like a lion, it went out yesterday like a lamb.

According to the monthly report of Mr. Denison there were thirteen days of frost and the lowest ground temperature was 19 degrees, on the second day of the month. On the same day the lowest temperature was reached, that of 34, while the highest was on February 25, the temometer registering 49. The total precipitation was 1.03 inches, which was 2.06 inches below the average. Mean temperature for the month was 37 degrees, which was 4 degrees below average.

The total amount of sunshine experienced during the twenty-eight days was 115 hours forty-two minutes, which was twenty-two hours above the average.

It is predicted that the barometer will remain high on the Coast and that fair, mild weather will extend eastward as far as Alberta. The recent rainfalls have been extremely welcome to the people throughout the Pacific Northwest, especially the farmers whose crops had already been held back by the heavy cold snap experienced about a month ago.

It was pouring with rain, and as the drawing master had a long way to go to his school, he decided the money for a taxi would be well spent. Unfortunately there was not a taxi in the station yard and he had to be content with a cab.

"What's that?" he asked the driver just as he was about to enter the vehicle.

The driver followed the direction of his man's gaze and pointing finger.

"Why," he reclaimed, an turning round, "that's me 'orse, that is!"

"Oh, is it?" retorted the drawing master, who was inclined to be absent-minded. "Well, tell you rub it out and draw it again."

"A fine rain right now would do a lot of good for the gardens around here, Mike."

"Shure, an hour of it now would do more good in five minutes than a month of it would do in a week any other time."

The bookkeeper was peevish.

"What's wrong?" asked the boss.

"Why," he said, "that pretty typist you insisted on engaging spells atrociously."

"Is that so? She must be good. I couldn't spell it!"

Miss Sharp—Perhaps you won't believe it, but a strange man tried to kiss me once.

Miss Harp—Really! Well, he'd have been a strange man if he had tried to kiss you twice.

The sergeant paused on his nightly round and prodded the sleeping policeman. "What, asleep again?" he growled. "Can it be from fatigue?"

"No, sir," answered the drowsy constable, "it's just a habit of the force."

Speaker (at club dinner) — Gentlemen, did you ever stop to think? I ask you again, did you ever stop to think?

Weary Listener—Did you ever think to stop?—Answers.

Kind Old Lady—My poor man! What were you before you became blind?

The Beggar (unconsciously)—I was a legless man, ma'am.—The Windsor.

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VERNON WINS B.C. ICE CHAMPIONSHIP

VERNON, Feb. 28—Vernon won the intermediate hockey championship of British Columbia, playing here last night against Merritt. This is the second year in succession Vernon has won and from the same finalists. Last night Vernon won, 7-2, and at Merritt entered the game with a 5-4 defeat lead won at home. Vernon wins by a three-goal margin.

Manitoba Rink Still Unbeaten at Bonspiel

TORONTO, Ont., Feb. 28—The Manitoba rink, skipped by Gordon Hudson, maintained their unbroken string of victories in the MacDonald Brier competition curling championship of the Dominion by defeating Alberta in the fifth round tonight. The Alberta rink conceded the match when the count stood 14-1 against them at the end of the sixth end.

Holds Banquet

A banquet for the men of the congregation of the Victoria City Temple will be held at Temple Hall, 842 North Park Street, this evening at 6.30 o'clock prompt. Motion pictures of "Our Canadian Heritage" by Mr. J. C. Campbell, of the national parks division of the Dominion Government, will be presented and the formation of an organization for the men of the City Temple will be considered.

AUSTRALIA ADVERTISES

Commonwealth Sets Aside $2,500,000 for Vigorous Campaign of Publicity

One of the plans for increasing the prosperity of Australia and placing more of its products upon the world's markets is the spending of $100,000 on publicity overseas. It is intended to establish in Great Britain and in the United States bureaus from which all information relating to the potentialities of the Commonwealth may be obtained. Including touring facilities. Australian business men traveling abroad have frequently complained of the inadequacy of the Commonwealth's efforts in the direction up to the present, and business interests throughout Australia are offering enthusiastic support and financial assistance toward the carrying out of the advertising project.

Pat was hired in a lumber office. The proprietor was a young man and he decided to have some fun with the new hand, so Pat was left in charge of the office with instructions to take all orders which might come in. Going to a nearby store the proprietor called up the office.

"Hello! Is this the Bear Hide Lumber Company?"

"Yis, sure."

"Send me up 1,000 knot holes."

"What's that?"

"One thousand knot holes."

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"To the brewery? What do they want with them?"

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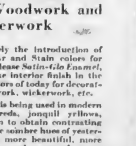

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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

COPPERS LEAD STRONG RALLY IN STOCK MART

Express Shares Go Skyrocketing as Result of Sale of Business to Railways—Call Rate Up

MARKET FOR BONDS HAS FIRMER TONE

NEW YORK, Feb. 28—With no fear of an increase in the Federal reserve rediscount rate after the close, and with call money to unexpectedly ample supply, despite a rate of 10 per cent, bulls staged a most vigorous demonstration in more than a fortnight on the stock market today, taking their cue from several favorable news developments. About a dozen coppers and more than a score of miscellaneous industrials and specialties were rushed up to record prices for the year or longer and total sales mounted to 4,271,250 shares.

The day's news included another sharp rise in copper prices.

The market faltered somewhat when call money mounted from 6 to 10 per cent around midday, but surged forward in the last hour. Radio dropped 12 points, then shot up 15. With the sale of the company's express business to the railways, to take effect overnight, express shares went skyrocketing. Adams jumping 60 1-2 points, American 18 and American Railway 18.

Amerada led the upturn in the coppers with a rain of 7 points U.S. Steel, selling ex the $4.75 dividend, mounted nearly 8 points to 182 1-4, within half a point of the record, and Bethlehem again made new high ground. Utilities made marked gains. Consolidated Power Gas mounting about 7 and 5 points.

Foreign exchanges were generally steady, sterling rallying slightly as funds were drawn to New York by the high credit rates.

A rise of 9 points in Anaconda Copper Ta today imparted a firmer tone to the bond market, gains in the industrial and utility groups ranging from 2 to 10 points. Rails however were largely heavy and several established new lows for the year.

(Supplied by Dunham, Brown & Co., Ltd.)
(All Fractions in Eighths)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Allied Chemical	263-6	265	261	263
Allied Chem. Dyes	70-2	70-2	69-6	70
Am. Can.	120	120	119	120
Am. Car & Fdy	180	180	180	180
Am. Par. Power	41-6	42	41-6	42
Am. Locomotive	171-1	173	171-1	173
Am. Smelting	151-4	152-4	151-4	152-4
Am. Steel Fdy	50	50	50	50
Am. Sugar	65-6	66-6	65	66
Am. Tel. & Tel.	179-3/4	180-1/4	179-3/4	180
Am. Tel. & Tel	217-6	218-6	216-6	218-6
Am. Woolen	46-1/4	46-1/4	46-1/4	46-1/4
Am. Tobacco	174-1/4	174-1/4	174-1/4	174-1/4
Am. Woolens	31-3	31-6	31-3	31-6
Anaconda	38	38-1/4	38	38-1/4
Atlantic Refining	46-1	46-3	46	46
Atlantic Coast	250	250	250	250
Atlantic Gulf	40-3/4	41	40-3/4	40-3/4
Atlantic Refinery	97-3/4	98	97-3/4	98
Baldwin	102-3/4	103-3/4	102-3/4	103-3/4
Auburn Motors	190	190	190	190
Bethlehem Steel	135-1/4	135	135-1/4	135
Brown & Co.	60-6	60-6	60-6	60-6
Barnsdall "A"	30-1/4	30-1/4	30-1/4	30-1/4
Bethlehem Steel	182-1/4	182-1/4	182-1/4	182-1/4
Brooklyn Manhat	78-4	78-6	77-5	78-5
Cal. Petroleum	40-3/4	40-3/4	40-3/4	40-3/4

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb 28—Pursuit exchanges quoted:
France—3.86 3-16 cables 3.86 9-16
Belgium—3.96 cables 3.96 1-16
Italy—3.95 1-16
Germany—.23 79
Holland—40.21
Norway—26.81
Sweden—26.81
Denmark—26.81
Switzerland—19.32 1-2
Spain—13.93
Poland—.1120
Czechoslovakia—2.96 1-2
Jugoslavia—.1179
Finland—2.51
Greece—.90
Argentina—42.1-2
Brazil—11.1-8
Tokio—46.1-2
Montreal—99.1-8
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STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Feb 28 Demand 486 18-16, sixty 481, sixty-Pat 485 1-8 cable 486.

AT VICTORIA

Sterling 482—selling 488

Calumet & Arizona	119-6	120	118-1/2
Calumet & Hecla	40-6	40-7	40-6
Case Thr Hissor Air	117	117	116
Cerro de Pasco	151-4	156	151
Chandler Motors	150	150	150
Chrysler Corp	46-1/4	46-1/4	46-1/4
Chesapeake & Ohio	254	254	250
Chile Copper	16-4	17-1	16-4
Chic. Gt. Western	20	20-4	20
Chic. Mil. St. P.	13-1/4	13-1/4	13-1/4
Chic. & Northwest	50	50	50
Chrysler Motor	115-1/4	115-1/4	115-1/4
Chrysler Motor	115-1/4	115-1/4	115-1/4
Coca Cola	154-4	154	154
Commercial Solv.	30-1/4	30-1/4	30
Cons. Fuel & Iron	74	74-1/4	74
Cons. Gas (N.Y.)	131	131-1/4	131
Cont. Can	76-1/2	77-1/2	76-1/2
Corn. Prod.	110-3	110-3	110-3
Cuban Cane	25-1/4	25-1/4	25-1/4
Cuban Products	25-1	25-3	25-1
Cuban Dominican	25-1/4	25-1/4	25-1/4
Curtiss Aero. ex div	115	115	114
Davison Chemical	53-5	57-3	57
Detroit Parmlee	14-1/4	14-1/4	14-1/4
Dodge Bros. "A"	18-1/4	18-1/4	18-1/4
Dodge Bros. "B"	18-1/4	18-1/4	18-1/4
Dome Mines	24-1/4	24-1/4	24-1/4
Eng. Storage Batt.	73-1	73-1	73-1
Fox	57-1	58-1	58-1
Fox Film "A"	59-1	59-1	59-1
Foundation Co.	57-1	57	56-1/2
Freeport Tex.	57-1/2	57-1/2	57-1/2
Fleischmann Co.	71-1	71-1	71-1
Gen. Motors	146-1/4	147-1/4	146-1/4
Gen. Pub. Service	26-1/4	26-1/4	26-1/4
Gen. Electric	93-1/4	93-1/4	93-1/4
Gen. Asphalt	46-1/4	46-1/4	46-1/4
Gen. Baking	146-1/4	146-1/4	146-1/4
Gen. Cigar	77-1/4	77-1/4	77-1/4
Gen. Foods	86-1/4	86-1/4	86-1/4
Gen. Ry. Signal	150	150	150
Gen. Stores	17-1/4	17-1/4	17-1/4
Gen. Water Works	30-1/4	30-1/4	30-1/4
Gillette Safety Raz.	47-1/4	47-1/4	47-1/4
Gold Dust Corp.	36-1/4	36-1/4	36-1/4
Goodrich Rubber	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Goodyear Tire	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Grand Union	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Great Western Sugar	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Greene Cananea	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Hudson Motor	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Hupp Motors	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Int. Harvester	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Int. Nickel	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Int. Paper	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Int. Pete.	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Int. Tel. & Tel.	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Jewel Tea	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kelsey Hayes Wheel	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kelvinator	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kennecott Copper	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kelsey Motor	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kresge "A" Stock	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Kroger Grocery	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Lehigh Valley	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Loew's Inc.	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Lorillard	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Mack Trucks	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Marland Oil	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Mexican Seaboard	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Mid. Steel	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Montgomery Ward	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Nash Motors	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Nat. Biscuit	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Nat. Dairy Prod.	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Nat. Power & Light	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
N.Y. Air Brake	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
N.Y. Central	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
North American	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Northern Pacific	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
N.Y. Central	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
N.Y. N.H. & Hart	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Norfolk & Western	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Norfolk Southern	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Pan American "B"	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4
Penn. R.R.	50-1/4	50-1/4	50-1/4

GOOD SUPPORT HELPS MARKET

FINAL PRICES AT CHICAGO ARE NEAR BEST OF DAY

Corn Is Firmer—Rounds Up Well Largest Ever Known

(Supplied by B.C. Bond Corpn., Ltd.)

CHICAGO, Feb. 28—Although our market was supported to rather severe pressure at times, good support was forthcoming. Losses were recovered and final prices near the end of the day. Lowest was fairly stronger than expected and less weakness than anticipated. There was not much change in European news. Severe weather continues with more snow. Demand for wheat is slow on ports and on rebound. French growers are holding old wheat until the extent of Winter damage is known. Winnipeg cash was mentioned as probably coming into the market, several Canadian commercial countries are trying to buy seed wheat.

There were no damage reports from the Southwest, and as yet there has been insufficient growing weather to determine whether any material loss has occurred in Argentina.

The open interest in all wheat is now nearly 100,000 the largest ever known, notwithstanding liquidation and short selling of yesterday, and in some ways is indicative of further accumulation. The market may begin within a few days to show signs of developments, but we are for purchases on dips.

Corn. Primary receipts of corn today were slightly heavier, about 1,000,000 a year ago. Receipts in Argentina were only 403 cars. Cash offerings continue very light and mainly unsatisfactory. Large portion of the bids are still untaken. Cash basis sellers lacks, together with Broomhall's assertion that consumption abroad was on a large scale, that we are expected to agree with the reopening of portions were influential in giving our market a strong tone. There was resistance to premium most of the day, although the market weakened in times coincident with the selling in wheat. Private estimates placed the surplus of Argentina corn at approximately 250,000,000 bushels, but their advices gave the figures at 285,000,000 to 175,000,000. There are indications of a weakening of the structure in corn.

Whitney Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb 28—Waiting at the Wall Street Financial Bulletin today: Despite the suspension of the copper group, which yesterday's action to have accomplished enough, I believe that the trend of today's market will continue upward, with everything pointing to the fulfillment of yesterday's prediction that Hoover would be inaugurated to the accompaniment of a new high average record.

Federal Reserve Board authorities have temporarily put to rest the idea, in my opinion, were always unprounded fears concerning the credit situation by advising the United States Senate that it was satisfied with what had been accomplished since the board issued its warning, and that it did not recommend any legislation on speculation. While for the next two weeks there may be too radical easing in money rates due to the approach of tax day, I believe that the trend of money rates thereafter will be distinctly downward, with exceptionally cheap money prevailing by June in the year.

I believe the time has arrived when the corporate legislatures be advised to take half profits in the stocks of corporations producing companies, making an exception in the case of American Telephone and Telegraph, if you can classify this stock as a company.

I look for American Can to become the market leader in the industrial group, and that it has recaptured its previous top. While I believe that we have an objective of 180 for this issue here, I have very good reasons for advising that this objective can be increased to 200 if the War on the subsec of cans and tins. I would like to call your attention to Pacific Mines and recommend it for purchase at the present time as a result of the exceptional gain in earnings, difficulties at three mines in March will increase the year's earnings. I believe that the stock is now available around 42.

So far as United States Rubber is concerned, I still think it is cheap, any place under 60 and know that—when the Du Pont family have advised their friends, which they do, to buy the stock, hold it and they would see it double its price. Consolidated Aircraft continue its advance, is up to a new high and about to make one of the thirties. Buy it under 40. And you will have the opportunity to sell it at 50. There will shortly appear on the New York curb American certificates of Kolster Brandes, Ltd., the English subsidiary of Kolster Radio. The stock is temporarily selling over the counter around 8½ a share. Some surplus profits can wisely be devoted to this issue before it creates its initial open market appearance. I realize it is difficult to credit yesterday's report concerning the linking of United States Steel with Colorado Fuel & Iron, but since the abolition of Pittsburgh surplus quotations in the steel industry, this is really the same original issue which the steel corporation could make, and I am confident it will be made.

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by H. F. Hammond & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Ask
Alta. Pacific Consol.	1.00	1.05
Alta. Pacific Consolidated	1.00	1.05
Calmont	3.75	3.85
Calmont Producers	1.10	1.15
Calgary Crude	1.00	1.05
Ulm Alta	0.90	1.00
Ulm Producers	1.00	1.05
Mid-Dr. Sec. new	0.60	1.75
Mid-Dr. Sec.	1.50	1.60
Dalhousie	1.00	1.05
Dalhousie	1.00	1.05
Midwest	1.00	1.05
Midwest	1.00	1.05
Sheets	1.00	1.05
Sheets	1.00	1.05
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FINANCE - COMMERCE - MARKETS

MILD WEATHER RAISES DEMAND FOR PRODUCE

Undertone of Markets Much Improved, Jobbers Assert — Apple Values Change Slightly

POTATO PRICES HOLDING STEADY

Victoria wholesale and retail markets were active at the midweek, with prices on leading commodities fairly steady. Fancy meat letter brought from $4.75 to $5.25 a crate, and the local jobbers state that the Imperial Valley variety from California is in very good shape and therefore is being rapidly disposed of. Cauliflower is holding firm, with sales from $2.50 to $3 a crate.

Continued mild weather has raised the demand to a seasonal peak, local dealers stated yesterday morning and the undertone of the market is much improved over a month ago. Shipping point markets are still steady to stronger on popular items, in the wholesale and retail trades for the immediate future at least. In the Middle States along the Pacific Coast and locally the heavy recent rains have brought considerable relief to the farmers and with Spring at hand they are preparing their grounds for seeding purposes.

APPLE DEMAND GOOD

Apple values changed slightly, but the demand continues to be good. Inquiry for cheap offerings has let about exhausted the supply, and the grades are moving more into consumption. Advices from the East, Washington and Okanagan Valley shippers intimate that shipping demand is holding at satisfactory proportions and, combined with the export movement, is aiding holders in maintaining prices. Okanagan McIntosh Reds were off the mark yesterday for the first time in many weeks, while a decided shortage is noted in Delicious brand. To keep up the supply, cutting of Winesaps and Stayman Winesaps arrived and were immediately distributed at prices ranging from $2.75 to $2.75 a box.

A large consignment of Victoria brand navel oranges from the Sunny South arrived yesterday—it will assist the distributors to supply the demand. Empress grapes increased from $3.75 to $4.50 per box.

POTATOES STEADY

Another situation that turned out better than expected was the potato market, which is holding steadily. Offerings on track variety here are quite large, but there is little price cutting. Jobbers, closely identified in the potato deal expect to see quite a healthy clean-up of local stocks. Some damage has been caused by the recent cold snap and may have a tendency to strengthen prices, but no sharp advances are anticipated. The only increase yesterday was in Highland Gems, which jumped from $1.50 to $1.75 a sack.

Although the undertone of the egg market is easy, due to weakness in Eastern markets, Victoria quotations were maintained at 40 cents for B.C. ranch. Hen eggs for storage and 35 cents for pullet extras. Retailers are quoting from 5 to 6 cents higher in each grade. That the volume of receipts on the local market is reflecting the cold weather experienced a month ago, is the statement of dealers, who point out that the supplies are comparatively heavy.

FLOUR DECREASES

Flour of all varieties took a decided cash cutting cowards for the first time in many months, according to the revised list released yesterday by Brackman-Ker, Limited. The decrease in each case was 15 cents.

Nineteen Companies Incorporate in B.C.

Nineteen companies having an aggregate capitalization of $6,115,000, were incorporated during the past week. With the exception of two, all companies have their head offices in Vancouver. The companies are as follows:

Algac Corporation, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

British Columbia Gravel Distributors, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

British Columbia Nickel Mines, Limited, Vancouver, $5,000,000.

Boundary Basin Mines, Limited, Vancouver, $2,000,000.

Canadian Electrical Prospecting Company, Limited, Vancouver, $25,000.

Canadian Oil Purifying Machine Company, Limited, Vancouver, 100,000.

Canadian Traffic Signal Corporation, Limited, Vancouver, $99,800.

Chinese Trading Company, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Christian Science Society, Chilliwack, under Societies Act.

Columbia Electric, Limited, Nelson, $25,000.

In Appointed Manager Of Victoria Branch

MR. T. A. McKIERAHAN

Who has been appointed manager of the Victoria branch of Mackenzie, White & Drummond, Ltd., wholesale of motor car supplies and Spartan radio.

For many years Mr. McKieranhan had charge of the auto accessory department of Marshall Wells (British Columbia), Ltd., Vancouver, later being connected in an executive capacity with the Motor Car Supply Company of Canada, Ltd., also of Vancouver. He will take over his new duties immediately.

Continental Securities Company, Limited, Vancouver, $100,000.

E. J. Post Electric Company, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Dominion Finance, Limited, Vancouver, $10,000.

Pacific Valley Tobacco Growing & Manufacturing Company, Limited, Vancouver, $50,000.

Home Metals, Limited, Vancouver, $500,000.

Canadian Mahogany Products, Limited, Vancouver, $50,000.

Johnston Pulverizing & Packing Company, Limited, Vancouver, $20,000.

Maclean's, Limited, Vancouver, $23,000.

Mintch Tree Company, Limited, Vancouver, $5,000.

Production Mining Company, Limited, Vancouver, $75,000.

Daily Stock News

(Handled by Miller, Court & Co., Ltd.)

Strength in mining issues was decidedly evident on the local market this morning, although oil stocks continued to hold the spotlight.

Hosts recorded a new high, reaching $13.50 during early trading, having advanced from an opening at $14.75, a net gain of 50 points above the previous close. Trading was heavy in this issue, and Home closed at $15.00.

A. P. Consolidated is probably the most outstanding issue at the present time, opening at $2 selling to a high of $2.20, but closing at $2.20. A. P. Consolidated was the heaviest trader on the entire board.

Mayland recorded a further advance, selling from $5.70 to a high of $6.25, but closing at $6.10, representing a net gain of 55 cents above the previous close.

Illinois Alberta opened at $1.20, slightly off, and sagged back to 90 cents, a 30 point loss of 5 points for the session.

Prerbiak Oil, listed yesterday, also advanced, opening at $1.35, selling to a high of $1.60, but closing strong at $1.50.

Pend Oreille Revenue McDonald and Grandview, the Metalline group, held firm. Pend Oreille opened at $11.50, sold to a high of $13.75, but closed at the opening figures. Revenue McDonald ranged between $3.60 and $3.65. Grandview opened at 63, dropped back to 62 but closed at 63, a gain of 3 points.

Big Missouri had a tight turnover between $1.78 and $1.80, but closed at $1.79.

Mohawk continued firm at 6 and Topley Richfield 40 and 41.

Whitewater was stronger this morning ranging between $1.30 and $2.15, closing at the former price.

Bralorne was also stronger, advancing from 50 to close strong at $1.35.

Noble Five recorded a sharp advance from 67 to close strong at $1 with sales ranging between $1.06 and $2.00, closing strong at the latter price.

MONEY MARKETS

LONDON, Feb. 28—Money 4-3-4 per cent. Discount rates: Short bills 3-1-4 to 3 5-16 per cent. Three months' bills 3 5-16 per cent.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28—Call money strong; high 18; low 6; ruling rate 8; closing bid 10. Time loans steady; unchanged; 60-90 days 5 1-4 per cent, 4-6 months 7 3-4 per cent. Prime commercial paper 5 1-2 to 5 3-4 per cent. Bankers acceptances unchanged.

WHEAT MARKET VERY ERRATIC

NERVOUSNESS SHOWN ALL DAY IN SESSION AT WINNIPEG

Some Export Business Overnight—Cash Markets Firm—Bull—Coarse Grains Steady

(Handled by Bramson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Feb. 28—The wheat market was nervous and very erratic during the first hour this morning, opening about unchanged and then advanced about 1 cent, with a little buying by seaboard houses, but then selling of stop-loss orders caused the market to decline about 1 cent, ending 1 cent below the opening figures. Nervousness was shown all day in session at Winnipeg.

A sharp rally was again recorded, the market ending fractions higher for the day at about ½ higher, and made the highest levels during the last hour, when there was scattered buying from various directions, which was credited to short covering and to New York and cash interests. Offerings were not nearly so large today, and while the pool sold a little July wheat during the first hour it was taken on selling later.

There was some export business done, Canadian interests taking some numbers 5 and 6 wheat, but the volume was not large. The cash wheat market was quite dull with demand rather slow and offerings also very limited, particularly in the low grades, and spreads on these grades were generally narrower, better while the higher grades were unchanged.

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Coarse grains—These markets were steady, closing somewhat firmer; largely on sympathy with the strength in wheat. Outside of a little buying of barley by seaboard interests, there was not much doing, but offerings were light and there was no pressure on the markets.

Flax—The May flax was firm and the deferred steady. Trade notes that Argentine flax is being credited with taking a little cash business.

FUTURES

Wheat—				
May	139¾	141⅞	139⅝	141¼
July	140¼	142¼	140¼	142¼
Oct.	138⅞	139⅞	138⅞	139⅞
Oats—				
May	54⅞	55	54⅞	55
July	56⅞	56	56	56
Oct.	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞	57⅞
Rye—				
May	114	115⅞	113⅞	115⅞
July	116⅞	117⅞	116⅞	117⅞
Oct.	118	118⅞	118⅞	118⅞
Barley—				
May	75⅞	76⅞	75⅞	76⅞
July	78⅞	79⅞	78⅞	79⅞
Oct.	80⅞	81⅞	80⅞	81⅞
Flax—				
May	209	209	208	208
May	212⅞	211	212⅞	211

CASH PRICES

Open	¼ lower			
Close	¼ on ¼ lower			
	1 Northern	2 Northern	3 Northern	4 Feed
Wheat	141	139	136	132
Oats	57	55	53	51
Barley	81	79	77	75
Rye	118	116	114	112
Flax	214	209	204	199

Oats—1 CW, 67½; 2 CW, 61½; extra, 1 feed, 61½; 1 feed, 59½; 2 feed, 57½; 3 feed, 55½.

Barley—1 CW, 81½; 3 CW, 75½; rejected, 72½; feed, 72½.

Flax—1 CW, 208½; 2 CW, 206½; 3 CW, 203½; rejected, 199½; feed, 199½.

Rye—1 CW, 118½; 2 CW, 116½; 3 CW, 114½; rejected, 110½; feed, 110½.

Eastern Markets

News and Comment on Business Supplied by R. Chalk & Co. (Victoria), Limited.

WALL STREET GOSSIP

Spicer Manufacturing, which made its first appearance yesterday, looked on with special favor by a leading stockbroker who has been accumulating this stock over a period of several months. These interests have not yet been in a position now earning for above estimates published before the end of last year and their position is apparently confirmed by the unusual number of the application to list men preferred stock, bringing the earnings on the year ended December 31, 1928, to approximately $6.00 per share on the common stock.

Some of those who have been identified with recent buying of Spicer are reported to be taking a make strenuous endeavors to have this issue listed on the Montreal list within a short time. There has been no distribution on the common stock since 1920.

There was considerable strong buying of Bethlehem Steel all through yesterday's trading but it was noticeable that it was not reflected in United States Steel.

Commo. It was hinted by those concerned in bullish activities in Bethlehem that the issue would continue until it sells far above its present price.

A good deal of bullish talk was also heard on Commodore, based on the action of that stock during the past half year, when a demand was in evidence even at times when the market was fairly unsettled, and reactions that occurred in industrials generally followed by quick returns to around its previous levels.

Developments in the copper industry again became important yesterday, the most interesting being statistical to further advance in metal to 18c.

Kennecott at the present time is receiving increased attention on prospects of soon being placed on a 65 dividend basis. Leading drawers in call money said there was nothing in the situation late yesterday to indicate any increased strength in the call money market today.

COMING EVENTS

While the fixing of high rates for call money has served to curb public participation in current stock activity it is has no more diminished bullish sentiment for the long pull. Many students of the international financial situation are convinced that were it not for the erection of artificial barriers there would be a return flow of gold to this country in considerable volume at the present time. It is generally considered that the largest part of the increase in re-discounts during the past week was directly due to our gold exports for the engage purpose of rehabilitating European currencies and establishing them on a gold basis. Much higher prices are predicted for copper and lead. The steels, though, are stated for much higher levels later on in the year.

STOCK LETTER

Cerro De Pasco, we think, is still behind the other copper issues and, indeed, the general copper price situation is such as to warrant the expectation in the near future of further aggressive advances in this copper share group.

January railroad earnings are noteworthy, net operating income showing a remarkable increase. Not reporting shows an increase of more than forty per cent as contrasted with January 1928. The increase in gross revenues was approximately ten per cent. We feel it is difficult to believe that the market can ignore such aggregate figures, which are perhaps as important in their way, from a near future market standpoint as least, as are the conjectures over consolidation proceedings.

We continue to be optimistic with respect to the market future of United States Rubber and Spicer Manufacturing.

United States Steel common currently may be absorbing the rarefaction announcement which came on top of the sharp rise. We do not believe the fundamentally unfavorable effect of retirement of the bonds and the issuance of additional common has been completely registered in market values. Nevertheless we expect Steel common to develop a further upward trend.

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MARKET MOSTLY COPPER AFFAIR

Constructive Influences Steady Market After Call Money Flurry—Stocks Ahead Selling

(Supplied by Bramson, Brown & Co. Ltd.)

NEW YORK, Feb. 28—The market today was chiefly a copper share affair. Constructive influences affecting the copper companies appeared to have the ability to arrest and steadied the market when selling resulted from the call money flurries to 10 per cent.

Approximately $40,000,000 in loans were called in preparation for dividend and interest disbursements over the month-end, but the investment trade is anticipating money rates was but a temporary influence discouraged more active selling and later the market trended with the gains in the copper section.

The domestic copper prices were quoted at 18½ cents, and this had an early prospecting influence. Chrome Canadian lifted its dividend rate to 8 per cent and inspiration increased its dividend to $4 annually. Naturally interest in the copper shares broadened with the dividend announcements. Oils, if anything were easier, steel sold ex-dividend. Motors were firm, rails were about steady, and motors again pushed forward under the propping influence of short covering. There is indication that the credit and confidence of buying dominating the market has been fully satisfied.

Wholesale Row

(Revised March 1, 1929)

Bed, No. 1 Bisco, per lb	20
Bacon, per lb.	
Cooked, per lb.	30 to 35
Hock, per lb.	17½
Backs, per lb.	25
Letas, per lb.	25
Butter, per lb.	
Creamery, per lb.	40
Lard, per lb.	20
Cheese, per lb.	20 to 25
Liver, per lb.	15
Eggs, per doz.	40 to 45

FISH

Halibut, per lb.	20
Fillets, 2 lb. per lb.	30
Fillets, Jumbo, per lb.	25
Smoked, per lb.	20
Herring, per lb.	10
Kippers, per doz.	60
Salmon, per lb.	15 to 25

POULTRY

Fowl, per lb.	30 to 35
Broilers	35
Ducks, per lb.	27 to 30
Geese, per lb.	25
Turkeys, per lb.	37
Pigeons	25

EGGS

B.C. Extras, doz.	40
B.C. Firsts, doz.	35
Pullets, doz.	25
Storage, doz.	30

DAIRY PRODUCE, ETC.

Butter	
Victoria Creamery	
1-lb. blocks	42
Cooking butter	35
Cheese, per lb.	25
Pimento, per lb.	30
Lard, pure, per lb.	20
Lard, other blends	18
Shortening, per lb.	20
Shortening, other blends, lb.	18½
Bacon, per lb.	
Cooked, per lb.	30
Cheese, triplets, per lb.	30
Cheese, Stilton, per lb.	35
Cheese, solid, per lb.	25
Cheese, Cheddar, per lb.	25
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Rooms Wanted
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Situations Wanted—Male
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Tenders
To Exchange
To Rent—Miscellaneous
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Unfurnished Rooms to Rent
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Wanted—Male Help
Wanted—Miscellaneous
Wanted to Rent
Wanted to Buy—Rooms
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Wanted to Rent—Furnished Houses
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1 BIRTHS

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Ten thousand pounds of furs, mostly fox, are said to be withheld from the exceptionally high market because of the ice blockade. The ship was chartered by the Hercovitch Fur Company of New York.

ICE IN MOTION

Wien's route will lie across swiftly moving ice in the Bering Strait, a portion of the country never traversed by air and crossed only once when the Soviet Government gave permission for a dogteam to cross on the ice jam. The Russian Government has given Wien permission to fly over the Siberian soil.

The flyer will be accompanied on the trip by "Doc" Dripe, his home port mechanic. Equipment includes emergency rations, sleeping bags and snowshoes, to guard against suffering from a forced landing.

The captain of the Elsie F notified New York recently that his ship is in danger of being crushed by the ice floes.

The crew has been given permission to abandon ship and go to a village on Cape North, seven miles distant, but preferred to remain with the vessel as long as possible while awaiting the arrival of the plane.

NATIVES SUFFERING

Upon receipt of news that natives of the Kalaunna River district, 400 miles from Cape North, were suffering from want of food and in danger of starvation, Wien intimated that he would be willing to fly to their assistance with food and supplies. If necessity demands, another rescue mission may await the aviator on arrival at Cape North. Wrangell Island lies 100 miles northeast and reports told of disaster having overtaken the Stefansson colony, where need is desperate.

Russian ice breakers were forced to turn back from the island last year and an aviator who attempted to make the flight crashed. It is not known whether any of the colonists remain alive at the present time, but if they are, need is imperative, natives say.

Among European countries Sweden is said to have the fewest divorces. But it always was noted for its lofty matrimonial.

Trade Commissioner in South Africa

MR. G. R. STEVENS

Canadian trade commissioner at Capetown, who is studying trade conditions between South Africa and the Dominion.

C.N. Vessels To Open H.B. Grain Trade

WOLSELEY, Sask., Feb. 28.—To test the insurance hazards of the Hudson Bay route to the sea, negotiations are under way by which the Federal Government, in co-operation with the Wheat Pool, will carry the first grain cargoes to Europe in Government steamers, it was stated during the Saskatchewan royal grain commission sitting here yesterday by Mr. Chief Justice Brown, chairman.

U. G. Hawkes, farmer, had said that the United Farmers of Canada and other organized agricultural bodies were relying heavily on the northern route to Europe, but feared that insurance rates might be made too high. Commissioner Brown observed that should the Government undertake to carry the first grain via the Hudson Bay it would prove of great value to the country generally and the wheat trade in particular.

No private company could be expected to take the risk involved without the cargo being insured, he said, and added that until several shipments had been made the insurance companies would have no facts on which to base their rates.

Benevolent Gentleman (to small boy)—And what is your name sonny?

Small Boy (suspiciously)—Gee! you're not going to put me down on any mailing list.

Burgess Bedtime Stories

Danny and Nanny Move In and Move Out

By THORNTON W. BURGESS

Danny and Nanny Meadow Mouse were having a great adventure. You know their little home, and they with it, had been picked up with the hay when Farmer Brown's Boy tore the old haystack to pieces and piled the hay on a wagon on runners to be taken up to the barnyard. Of course, he didn't know anything about Danny and Nanny. Of course Danny and Nanny didn't know exactly what had happened or was happening. They suspected by the motion that they were being carried somewhere and just the thought of that frightened them.

They kept very quiet, snuggling close together. At last they heard the voice of Farmer Brown's Boy crying "Whoa!" Then for a few moments all was still. But presently Farmer Brown's Boy began to pitch the hay out into the barnyard. Danny and Nanny could stand it no longer. Danny scrambled up and out of that wagon, with Nanny right at his heels. They jumped down to the snow and scampered straight for the barn, which was close at hand. They felt almost at home when they saw that big barn, for they had spent one Winter there. They knew just where to go.

"My goodness," exclaimed Danny, "aren't we lucky? Here we are up in the big barn again. We'll spend the rest of the Winter here. I wonder if we'll find Cousin Nibbler the House Mouse and Robber the Rat. I hope we won't find him. He may be a relative, but I'm afraid of him. Of course, we'll have to watch out for Black Pussy the Cat, but we know her so well that we won't have to worry much. It isn't half so much work to keep out of her way as it is to keep out of the way of Reddy Fox and Old Man Coyote. And just think, there won't be any Owls or Hawks to worry about!"

"That's something to be thankful for," replied Nanny.

Danny and Nanny were soon established in the barn. They found Nibbler the House Mouse and a number of his children who were located there. From Nibbler they soon learned that Robber the Rat was also in the barn. Nibbler started to tell Danny something else, but Danny was in too much of a hurry to listen. He wanted to get established. So he and Nanny went straight to one of their favorite places which they so well remembered, and there they at once made a comfortable home. They were very busy down under the hay and there was nothing to frighten them. When the new home was finished they were quite ready for a nap and in great contentment curled themselves up.

"I'm glad that we have moved into the old barn, said Nanny in a squeaky, sleepy little voice, just before she went to sleep.

Danny was the first one to awaken. He promptly started out exploring. He was gone quite a little while. Nanny had awakened and was beginning to worry a little. Finally she heard the rustle of little feet coming on the run. In a moment Danny burst into the new home. He was quite out of breath and he looked frightened.

"Follow me!" cried Danny. "Follow me at once!"

Nanny looked puzzled. "Where are we going?" she asked.

"We are going to move out of this barn. We are going to move out right away. Come along!" squeaked Danny, and started.

And because she didn't want to be left alone Nanny followed. It wasn't until they were once more out of sight of hay in the barnyard, that Danny stopped long enough to tell her what it was all about.

From Nibbler they soon learned that Robber the Rat was also in the barn

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The next story: Danny Left the Barn.

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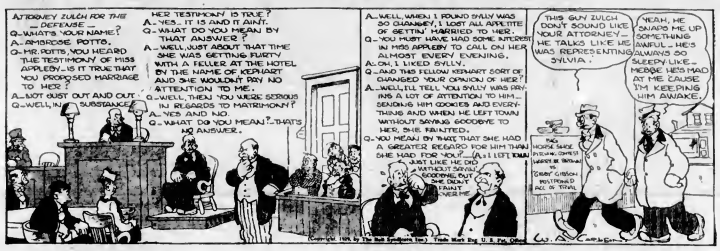

POLLY AND HER PALS

The Night Shift

By Cliff Sterrett

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EMBARRASSING MOMENTS

JUST LIKE A WOMAN

Grandpa was dozing in his armchair and emitting sounds that might have come from a combination mule and bass-sax. As mother entered the room she saw Bobby twirling one of Grandpa's vest buttons.

"What are you doing?" she asked. "You know you mustn't disturb Grandpa."

"I'm not 'disturbing him,' was the reply. "I was just trying to tune him in on something different than he's grinin' on."

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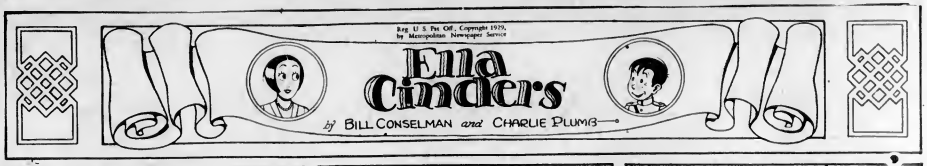

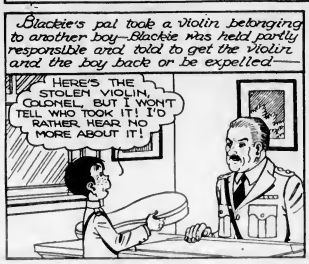

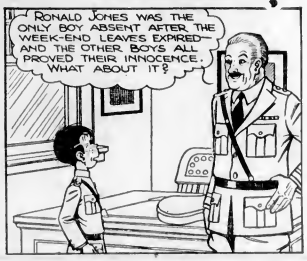

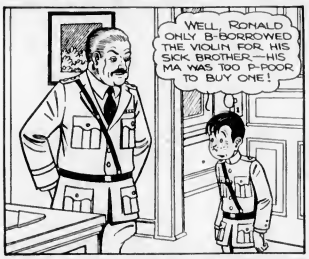

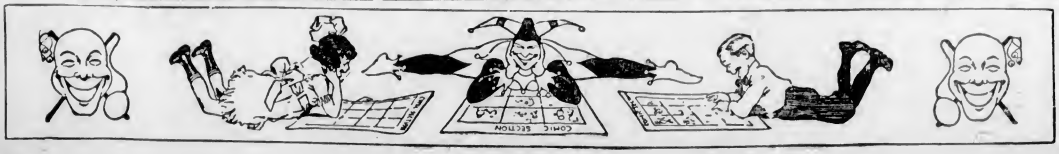

MARINE and TRANSPORTATION

SALVAGE CRAFT GETS LONG TOW

LOCAL VESSEL IS TO TAKE SHIP HAVILAH 2,783 MILES TO YOKOHAMA

Former Shipping Board Freighter Lies at Dutch Harbor With Disabled Turbines

To complete her cargo of 4,500 barrels of fuel oil to tow the former United States Shipping Board freighter, Havilah, from Dutch Harbor to Yokohama, the Pacific Salvage Company's Salvage King left her berth for the Union Oil dock at 11 o'clock last evening. She was expected to get away to sea early this morning.

Loaded with 4,000,000 feet of lumber for Yokohama, Osaka and Nagoya, the Havilah, one of the "war babies" tied up in Lake Union, got as far as Indian Head, Whidby Island, on January 11 before running aground.

Freeing herself from the mud, she once more pointed her nose in a northwesterly direction for Japan. This time she got a short distance off the Aleutian Islands when turbine trouble developed. She put into Dutch Harbor on February 8 and has been waiting there helpless ever since.

The powerful salvage vessel will have to tow her 2,783 miles before reaching Yokohama.

NIAGARA ARRIVES FROM ANTIPODES

Royal Mail Steamship Docks Ten Hours Ahead of Schedule With 295 Passengers

Completing an uneventful voyage from Auckland, Sydney, Suva and Honolulu, R.M.S. Niagara arrived at Ripley's pier at 6:30 o'clock last evening, about ten hours ahead of schedule. She left for Vancouver at midnight.

The liner's passenger list was made up of 147 first class, sixty-four second class and eighty-eight third class. For this port she had sixty-two tons of cargo and 2,876 tons for Vancouver discharge.

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H.M.S. Colombo Due at Victoria on May 1

John Merritt and daughter, returning to London; Sir Arthur Duckham and daughter, also returned to London; Sir Arthur Young, magistrate of Suva, Fiji; Mr. W. Goodfellow, Auckland business man; Mr. C. A. Burgess, of Wellington, N.Z.; Mr. W. B. Carmichael, Sydney paper merchant; Mr. and Mrs. Randall Muirs, of Queensland; Mr. W. J. Gunning, of Sydney; Mr. T. A. Corbin, of Adelaide, and Mr. W. Steele, also of Adelaide.

Others included Mr. and Mrs. E. Cave-Brown-Cave; Mr. M. Dentiran; Mrs. A. E. Desbrisay; Mrs. A. K. Abernethy; Mrs. N. V. Abernethy; Mr. W. S. Carmichael; Dr. J. C. Parish; Miss M. Gotschalk; Mrs. M. Irons; Mrs. R. Lougheed and family; Mr. A. Cassell; Miss E. Brissard; Mrs. A. D. Wetzel; Mr. and Mrs. M. Stuart; Mr. A. F. Voight and Mrs. R. D. Theroux.

ESTEVAN RETURNS FROM CAPE SCOTT

Mr. Arthur Axton, Steward, Rushed at Full Speed to Port Alice After Mishap

Completing a circuit of Vancouver Island, C.G.S. Estevan, Captain H. S. Bolton, arrived at the Marine Department dock at 2.45 o'clock yesterday afternoon. She left Victoria away since January 30.

While off Quatsino light, Mr. Arthur Axton, the steward, slipped on the freezing floor of the refrigerator and shashed himself in the thigh with a large butcher knife. First aid was rendered by Fourth Engineer Davey as Axton was bleeding profusely from a deep cut.

The ship was turned about by Captain Bolton and the injured man rushed full speed to Port Alice. From there he was conveyed over the trail to Port Hardy, where he was put on a steamer for Victoria.

Place visited by the Estevan included Sherringham Point, Pachena Point, Bamfield, Ucluelet, Port Alberni, Leonard Island, Claayquot Sound, East Bay, Hecate Bay, Nootka, Cape Scott, Bull Harbor, Pine Island, Hardy Bay, Rigid Shoal, Sisters Hight and Ladysmith.

From Quatsino to Shushartie Bay mountainous seas were encountered by the steamer vessel. With difficulty the Estevan was anchored two and one-half miles off Cape Scott with four anchors, two at the bow and two aft, in a heavy swell and racing tide.

After three unsuccessful attempts, a small boat was sent from the ship to Cape Scott light with six cylinders of fresh acetylene gas. The men were soaked to the skin and narrowly escaped being swamped in the raging seas. A special chute had to be made to get the cylinders from the boat to the rocky shore.

VANCOUVER GRAIN FIGURES ISSUED

Harbor Board Report Shows 44,205,420 Bushels Shipped From Port Elevators

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.—The weekly grain report of the Vancouver Harbor Board showed total export to 9 a.m. today of 44,205,420 bushels, compared with 45,432,916 bushels at this time last season. There are ships in port for 2,674,000 bushels and the elevator stocks are 4,447,388 bushels.

March bookings for export are 8,861,333 bushels and there are 3,321,000 bushels in cars on rail lines in British Columbia, with 3,164,000 bushels on cars in Alberta bound West.

STEVESTON FERRY ROUTE CONFIRMED

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.—In May of this year the British Columbia Coastwise Services of the Canadian Pacific Railway will inaugurate a motor ferry line from Steveston, on the mouth of the Fraser River, to Sidney, Vancouver Island, as announced last Fall by Captain R. B. Nerouiate, manager of the services.

It is expected that Sir Motor Printers or Sir Charmer will go on the new island service.

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MAYOR Herbert Anscomb has been advised by Lieutenant-Colonel C. L. Panet, secretary of Naval Service, Department of National Defence, Ottawa, that H.M.S. Colombo, a ship of the America and West Indies Squadron, will visit Victoria on Tuesday, May 14, on a visit to British Columbia ports. After visiting Vancouver, Prince Rupert, Comox, Nanaimo, Maple Bay and other Island ports, the vessel will return to Esquimalt. Leaving here on August 7, she will call at Astoria, from August 8 to 11; Port Angeles, from August 12 to 14; San Francisco, August 27 to September 10; Monterey, September 16 to 17; Canal Zone, September 28 to 30; Cartagena, Colombia, October 1 to 8; Montego Bay, Jamaica, October 10 to 17, and Bermuda, October 21. Vice Admiral Frederick L. Pinsun is commander-in-chief of the America and West Indies Squadron.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
MARCH

Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1929.

	Rise	Set
1	6.57 a.m.	5.27 p.m.
2	6.56 "	5.28 "
3	6.54 "	5.29 "
4	6.52 "	5.30 "
5	6.50 "	5.31 "
6	6.48 "	5.32 "
7	6.46 "	5.33 "
8	6.44 "	5.34 "
9	6.42 "	5.35 "
10	6.40 "	5.36 "
11	6.38 "	5.37 "
12	6.36 "	5.38 "
13	6.34 "	5.39 "
14	6.32 "	5.40 "
15	6.30 "	5.41 "
16	6.28 "	5.42 "
17	6.26 "	5.43 "
18	6.24 "	5.44 "
19	6.22 "	5.45 "
20	6.20 "	5.46 "
21	6.18 "	5.47 "
22	6.16 "	5.48 "
23	6.14 "	5.49 "
24	6.12 "	5.50 "
25	6.10 "	5.51 "
26	6.08 "	5.52 "
27	6.06 "	5.53 "
28	6.04 "	5.54 "
29	6.02 "	5.55 "
30	6.00 "	5.56 "
31	5.58 "	5.57 "

MOONRISE AND MOONSET

Times of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of March, 1929.

	Rise	Set
1	8.07 a.m.	8.27 p.m.
2	8.58 "	9.27 "
	(Last Quarter on 11th)	
3	9.50 a.m.	10.27 p.m.
4	10.44 "	11.27 a.m.
5	11.39 "	12.27 "
6	12.35 p.m.	1.27 "
7	1.30 "	2.27 "
8	2.24 "	3.27 "
9	3.17 "	4.27 "
10	4.10 "	5.27 "
11	5.43 "	6.27 "
12	7.08 "	7.27 "
	(New Moon on 11th)	
13	8.31 "	8.27 "
14	9.51 "	9.27 "
15	10.55 "	10.27 "
16	11.54 "	11.27 "
17	12.48 a.m.	12.27 a.m.
18	1.38 "	1.27 "
19	2.26 "	2.27 "
20	3.13 "	3.27 "
21	4.00 "	4.27 "
22	4.47 "	5.27 "
	(First Quarter on 24th)	
23	5.34 "	6.27 "
24	6.22 "	7.27 "
25	7.11 "	8.27 "
26	8.01 "	9.27 "
27	8.52 "	10.27 "
28	9.44 "	11.27 "
29	10.37 "	12.27 p.m.
30	11.31 "	1.27 "
31	12.26 p.m.	2.27 "
	(Full Moon on 30th)	
32	1.20 "	3.27 "
33	2.13 "	4.27 "
34	3.05 "	5.27 "
35	3.56 "	6.27 "
36	4.46 "	7.27 "
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58	10.24 "	5.27 "
59	11.12 "	6.27 "
60	12.00 p.m.	7.27 "

Note.—These times are correct in within one or two minutes.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
MARCH

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1	0.32	2.2	12.37	7.1				
2	1.24	2.1	12.57	7.1				
3	1.13	2.0	1.24	7.1				
4	1.59	1.9	2.15	7.1				
5	2.46	1.8	3.07	7.2				
6	3.34	1.7	3.57	7.3				
7	4.22	1.6	4.46	7.4				
8	5.10	1.5	5.34	7.5				
9	5.58	1.4	6.21	7.6	11.3	2.0	11.52	2.0
10	6.46	1.3	6.58	7.7	11.37	2.0	12.42	2.0
11	7.34	1.2	7.35	7.8	12.24	2.0	1.32	2.0
12	8.17	1.2	8.12	7.8	1.12	2.0	2.21	2.1
13	9.00	1.2	8.49	7.8	2.00	2.0	3.10	2.1
14	9.42	1.2	9.25	7.8	2.47	2.0	3.57	2.1
15	10.24	1.2	10.01	7.8	3.34	2.0	4.44	2.1
16	11.06	1.2	10.37	7.8	4.21	2.0	5.31	2.1
17	11.48	1.2	11.13	7.8	5.08	2.0	6.18	2.1
18	12.31	1.2	11.49	7.8	5.55	2.0	7.05	2.1
19	1.14	1.2	12.26	7.8	6.42	2.0	7.52	2.1
20	1.57	1.2	1.03	7.8	7.29	2.0	8.39	2.1
21	2.41	1.2	1.41	7.8	8.16	2.0	9.26	2.1
22	3.25	1.2	2.19	7.8	9.03	2.0	10.13	2.1
23	4.09	1.2	2.57	7.8	9.50	2.0	11.00	2.1
24	4.53	1.2	3.35	7.8	10.37	2.0	11.47	2.1
25	5.37	1.2	4.13	7.8	11.24	2.0	12.34	2.1
26	6.21	1.2	4.51	7.8	12.11	2.0	1.21	2.1
27	7.05	1.2	5.29	7.8	12.58	2.0	2.08	2.1
28	7.49	1.2	6.07	7.8	1.45	2.0	2.55	2.1
29	8.33	1.2	6.45	7.8	2.32	2.0	3.42	2.1
30	9.17	1.2	7.23	7.8	3.19	2.0	4.29	2.1
31	10.01	1.2	8.01	7.8	4.06	2.0	5.16	2.1

Note.—These times are for Victoria Harbour for 1929. Meridian used is 8 hours from Greenwich. The figures for tenths serve to distinguish the tides of one day from those of the next day or the tides, the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is by feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of low water.

To find the depth of water on the off of the Esquimalt Graving dock add 19.0 feet to the height of high water as given above.

To find the depth of water on the off of the Steveston dredged add 20 feet to the height of high water as above given.

WEST COAST SERVICE

Now effective, the steamer leaves for Port Alice and way ports on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

Vessel Movements

SEATTLE, Feb. 28—Arrived, Dorothy Alexander, from Seward ports; Kanuk, Puyallup, Pacific Shipper, James Griffiths, Ocean Scout, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Everett, Manila, Alaska, Mexico, Vancouver, El Centro, San Benito, Cabal Ore, Bunker ports.

TACOMA, Feb. 28.—Arrived, Montana, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter.

PORTLAND, Feb. 28.—Arrived, Mu Cobb, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Anacortes, California, Cabal Pulman, Ancon, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, San Francisco, Sailed: Mt. Dirchbelle, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Wallingford, Willamette, San Pedro.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 28.—Arrived, Bonsilat, Falbrooth, Quillon, Port Angeles, Ocean Pioneer, Ocean Hunter, Ocean Scout, Manuel, Kermoje, Alaska, Mexico, Yorkshire, Prairie, Mariners, San Gilbert, Sailed: Prentiss, Golden Wind, Egra, Christensen, Corker, San Pedro, Monroe, Vancouver, Glenaven, San Yeh Ai, Ancon, Sailed: Bedford, Prairie.

ARRIVED

YOKOHAMA, Feb. 28.—Bremen, Seattle, Tacoma, Portland, Vancouver.

HONG KONG, Feb. 27.—Empress of Asia, Vancouver.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—Aquitania, San Pedro.

PORT ARTHUR, Feb. 28.—Hurnsum, San Pedro.

BRISTOL, Feb. 24.—Sandpool, Vancouver.

LONDON, Feb. 27.—Lancastria, Portland.

SYDNEY, Feb. 28.—Pennia, Seattle.

SAILED

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 28.—Orteric, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb. 27.—Buenos Maria, Shinyo Maru, San Francisco.

NEW YORK, Feb. 28.—P. J. Luckenbach, San Francisco.

PANAMA CANAL, Feb. 28.—Prusia, bound west; Ancon, Vancouver, Bonsilat, Prairie, Alaskan, San Pedro.

WEATHER REPORT

BETWEEN—Overcast, calm. 30.26. 46 deg.

PACHENA—Fog, rain, calm. 30.06. 44 deg. southerly gale.

CARMANAH—Misty, rain, calm. 30.06 44 deg. southerly gale.

CAPE BEALE—Hazy, cloudy, light breeze. 30.06, moderate swell.

PRINCE RUPERT—Rain, fresh, southeast. 30.16. 45. smooth.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Relayed, 8 a.m., unless otherwise noted)

S. S. SUTHERLAND—Los Angeles for Seattle, 152 miles south of Ione.

SYDLAND—Bound San Pedro, 130 miles southeast Estevan.

EMERSON OF PRAGUE—Inbound, 110 miles off Tofino.

MARGARET—Bound Grays Harbor, 60 miles off Grays Harbor.

DARWORTH—Vancouver for Yokohama, 170 miles off Cape Flattery.

HARTHARAN MARU—Yokohama for Seattle, 1,000 miles west Victoria.

SHINSHU MARU—Yokohama for Seattle, 1,000 miles west Victoria.

MARIPOSA—Bound Vancouver, 300 miles off Cape Flattery.

MARLAKE—Port Angeles for Vancouver, 300 miles south Victoria.

MARIPOSA—Bound Vancouver for Yokohama, 170 miles off Cape Flattery.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, March 1.

EMPRESS OF PRINCE—From Orient, March 2.

MARGARET GROVE—From Burlard, March 2.

PACIFIC RELIANCE—From Burlard, March 2.

ANCON—From Panama, March 2.

MONTCLARION—From Cherbourg, March 28.

EMPRESS OF SCOTLAND—From Orient, March 29.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—From Orient, April 6.

PRINCESS MARIE—From Orient, April 6.

NIAGARA—From Antipodes, April 26.

EMPRESS OF PRINCE—From Orient, April 26.

PACIFIC PIONEER—From Dunsmuir, April 13.

TO DEPART

PRESIDENT LINCOLN—Sailed for Orient, March 2.

EMPRESS OF PRINCE—For Orient, March 2.

NIAGARA—For Antipodes, March 4.

SALTSTREAM—For Orient, March 4.

ALASKAN MARU—For Orient, March 15.

PRESIDENT MADISON—For Orient, March 23.

MISHIMA MARU—For Orient, March 26.

MARAGUE OF RUSSIA—For Orient, April 1.

IKION—For Orient, April 1.

TOYO MARU—For Orient, April 2.

AUSAKU—For Antipodes, April 2.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN—For Orient, April 2.

ARIZONA MARU—For Orient, April 4.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, April 16.

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

MARCH
CHINA AND JAPAN

EMPRESS OF FRANCE—Mails close March 1, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 12, Shanghai March 25, Hong Kong March 28.

TALYUTSUTSUN—Due March 12, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 27, Hong Kong April 2.

ALASKAN MARU—Mails close March 15, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama March 26, Shanghai April 4.

PRESIDENT MADISON—Mails close March 23, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 3, Shanghai April 9, Hong Kong April 12.

TOYO MARU—Mails close March 26, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 16.

EMPRESS OF ASIA—Mails close April 16, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 26, Shanghai April 11, Hong Kong April 18.

IKION—Mails close April 1, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 11.

AUSAKU—Mails close April 2, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 11, Shanghai April 15, Hong Kong April 18.

EMPRESS OF JAPAN—Mails close April 2, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 11, Shanghai April 15, Hong Kong April 18.

ARIZONA MARU—Mails close April 4, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama April 14, Shanghai April 18, Hong Kong April 21.

AUSTRALIA AND NEW ZEALAND

MAKURA—Mails close March 1, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland March 19, Sydney, March 26.

NIAGARA—Mails close March 4, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney April 4.

MARIPOSA—Mails close March 17, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington April 6, Sydney, April 11.

AORANGI—Mails close April 1, 4 p.m. Due at Auckland April 22, Sydney, April 27.

(Mails for Fiji and Australia only)

UNITED STATES AIR MAIL SERVICE

Daily Showing Transit Time From Victoria

Leave Vancouver 7.30 p.m. daily, including Sunday. Arrive Victoria (connection at Seattle).

Boise, Idaho—Arrives next day after leaving Boise.

Boston, Mass.—Arrives on the fourth day.

Butte, Mont.—Arrives on the third day.

Buffalo, N.Y.—Arrives on the third day.

Chicago, Ill.—Arrives on the third day.

Cleveland, Ohio—Arrives on the third day.

Cheyenne, Wyo.—Arrives on the third day.

Dallas, Texas—Arrives on the third day.

Denver, Colo.—Arrives on the third day.

Detroit, Mich.—Arrives on the third day.

Minneapolis, Minn.—Arrives on the third day.

Helena, Mont.—Arrives on the third day.

Los Angeles, Cal.—Arrives on the fourth day.

New York, N.Y.—Arrives on the third day.

Omaha, Neb.—Arrives on the third day.

Salem, Ore.—Arrives on the fourth day.

Salt Lake City, Utah—Arrives day after leaving Salt Lake City.

Spokane, Wash.—Arrives on the third day.

St. Louis, Mo.—Arrives on the third day.

St. Paul, Minn.—Arrives on the third day.

Salt Lake City, Utah—Arrives day after leaving Salt Lake City.

Spokane, Wash.—Arrives on the third day.

Tucson, Ariz.—Arrives on the third day.

Washington, D.C.—Arrives on the third day.

Wichita, Kan.—Arrives on the third day.

Mail closes daily, except Sunday. Air mail closes this afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Leave Seattle 10.30 a.m. daily except Sunday. Arrive Victoria 1 p.m. Leave Victoria 2 p.m. Arrive Seattle 5 p.m.

VANCOUVER-CENTRAL PALLS-PRINCE RUPERT

Weekly Prince Rupert leaves Vancouver 1 p.m. Wednesday. Leaves Prince Rupert Wednesday. Mondays. Leaves Vancouver

POWELL RIVER AND COMOX

C.P.R. steamer Charmer sails from Vancouver midnight on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

ALASKA AND NORTHERN BRITISH COLUMBIA PORTS

Prince Rupert leaves Vancouver 8 p.m. March 1, 15 and 29.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

Steamer Otter leaves Victoria for Gulf Islands at 7.15 a.m. on Monday, Wednesday and Thursday.

Steamer Charmer leaves Victoria for Vancouver, via Gulf Islands, at 11 a.m. on Tuesdays.

Big Sister—What did Captain Smith say about my niece?

Young Brother—He muttered something that sounded like "Iceberg!"

NEW ROUTE TO SOUTH PLANNED

PASSENGER SERVICE FROM VANCOUVER TO CALIFORNIA MAY BE ESTABLISHED

Rumor Has It That Canadian National Steamships Considers Proposal

VANCOUVER, Feb. 28.—The Province, in its news columns today, says:

"A passenger service from Vancouver to California ports may be one of the matters now being discussed by official executives of the Canadian National Steamships, Limited, according to rumor here. S. C. Keeler, Pacific Coast manager of the C.N.Ss., Limited, was called East early this week to confer with other executives regarding proposed developments of this company on this Coast.

"At present there is no direct service from this port to California, though there is a very active one from Victoria, on the passenger liners of the Pacific Steamship Company, a United States line. There is a large tourist traffic out of Western Canada to California.

"There was some talk last Summer of the Canadian Pacific Railway putting a California service into Victoria ports, but that did not materialize."

EMMA ALEXANDER HERE YESTERDAY

Pacific Steamship Company's Ship Brings Passengers and Freight Wanted at Seattle

With seventy-five passengers and seventy-four tons of cargo for Victoria, the Pacific Steamship Company's ship, Emma Alexander, Captain Thomas Systerup, arrived at Ripley's pier from San Diego, Los Angeles and San Pedro at 10.30 o'clock last evening.

The vessel had 185 passengers in all classes from California, and got away for Seattle with a heavy cargo of fruit and vegetables at 1 o'clock this morning.

Among those on board was Margaret Oxford, Teddy Hatfield, Boyd Allen and Tommy McDonald, charged with burglary at Seattle. While among the Cadmen on February 11 they are alleged to have robbed three men.

Robert Graves, another unwilling passenger, faces a charge of forgery with three former companions now held at Seattle. Carl Nelson, the last one of the group, was arrested at San Francisco while posing as a sea captain. Seattle police charge that he obtained $1,500 worth of ship supplies, paying for them with worthless cheques.

TOFINO FISHING VESSEL BEACHED

TOFINO, Feb. 28.—The crime boat Vanity Bay, owned by Sayers and Thrygve Arnet, broke loose from her moorings on Thursday night, and it was found at first that she must have been wrecked, as there was a strong wind blowing all night. Most of the fishing boats in the sound, including the lifeboat, turned out to locate the missing boat, which was eventually found on the beach at Indian Island, several miles from here. Some 15 miles from her trip, much to the relief of her owners.

Coastal Sailings Out of B.C. Ports

FOR VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 9.10 p.m. C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 11 p.m.

FROM VANCOUVER

C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 7 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer arrives daily at 6 p.m.

FOR SEATTLE

Freeside leaves daily at 10.15 a.m.
C.P.R. steamer leaves daily at 9.00 p.m.

FROM SEATTLE

Freeside arrives daily at 1.15 p.m.
Dowsett leaves daily at 8 a.m.

WEST COAST SERVICE

S.S. Canoe leaves from Victoria to Port Alberni and all West Coast ports on the 1st, 11th and 21st of each month.

SAANICH-TANGOVER

Princess Alaska leaves Sannich at 7 a.m. daily except Sunday. Leaves Tangover at 8 a.m. daily except Sunday. Leaves Vancouver 10 a.m., leaves Port Angeles 1 p.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES

Auto and passenger ferry Princess sails daily for Port Angeles at 10.15 a.m. Leaves Port Angeles at 1 p.m.

PRINCE RUPERT ROUTE

Union Steamships leave Vancouver at 7 p.m. for Prince Rupert and Stewart. Vancouver for Alert Bay, Port Hardy, Prince Rupert, etc.

Canadian National Steamships On Monday, Wednesday and Thursday at 8 p.m.

QUEEN CHARLOTTE ISLANDS

Canadian National Steamships Prince Rupert, Stewart, Anyox, Port Alice and Comox Ports.

PORTLAND CANAL ROUTE

ORMISTON STEAMSHIPS

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Canadian National Buys Western Union

OTTAWA, Feb. 28.—The Canadian National Railways have acquired the Western Union Telegraph lines in the Maritime Provinces but actual transfer to the C.N.R. will not be effected for a few months. The purchase price was $1,100,000. This information was given in the House today by Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Canada and Railways.

Veteran Admiral of Britain Dies

ADMIRAL SIR EDMUND ROBERT FREMANTLE

Who distinguished himself in three big naval campaigns, the Burmese, the New Zealand and the Crimean wars. He was one of ninety-three flag and military officers of real book on naval and historical subjects.

FIVE MEN ADRIFT IN LIFEBOAT OFF BARFLEUR, FRANCE

CHERBOURG, France, Feb. 28.—The steamer St. Malo, of Havre, foundered in a gale off Barfleur Tuesday night. Five members of the crew are missing. The captain and six of the crew reached here in one of the ship's boats, after a hard struggle against high seas.

The five missing men are in a lifeboat, which it is hoped may have landed at some remote point on the coast.

EIGHTY DIE UPON WRECK OF SHUNAN

LONDON, Feb. 28.—The Exchange Telegraph Company dispatches from Hong Kong today said the Chinese steamer Shunan had been wrecked with the loss of eighty lives, twenty-eight miles above Ichang, on the Yangtze River.

TANKERS PASSING

With a full load of fuel oil, the Union Oil tanker La Placentia passed up to Vancouver at 6.20 o'clock last evening. The Imperial Oil tanker H. M. Storey is due to pass up to Vancouver at 6 o'clock this morning, according to Federal pilots.

TRAIN WHISTLE SELDOM HEARD

DRIVERS OF CLOSED CARS FAIL TO CLOSE—NEW DEVICE OF HEAVY ENGINE

More Effective Signals Needed to Mark Level Crossings, Claim Agents Find

MONTREAL, Feb. 28.—Sirens on locomotives are not the answer to prevention of accidents at highway crossings, according to operating department officials of the Canadian National, where efforts to solve attention was called a dispatch from Ottawa, suggesting the use of sirens instead of the locomotive whistles as a means of preventing highway accidents.

Constant experiments have been made by Canadian National Railways to attempt to give to drivers on the highways the maximum of warning of approaching engines. The whistle of the locomotive has been moved from time to time, in one experiment being placed in front of the smokestack to see if the sound of the whistle could be made more audibly. On Grand Trunk Western lines tests were made of sirens, which were found no more effectious in warning drivers who failed to "stop, look and listen" when approaching railway crossings.

On the new all electric locomotives of the Canadian National system, the first of which is now in the shop stage, a compressed air hooter takes the place of the steam whistle, and this, with the bell, was found to give as much warning as can be arranged.

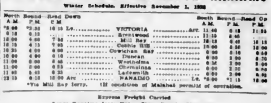
The difficulty remains, however, that since closed cars have become commonly used, drivers of automobiles hear neither bell nor whistle when their automobile engines are running as they approach crossings, and in the case of a careless driver all the audible signals possible would convey no warning.

A recent compendium of claim agents of the Canadian National system, has been signed by these men, who handle all the claims arising out of crossing accidents, that the only method of signals effective today is that of visual warnings, the erection in the centre of the highway of a strong beam-light pillar, which will notify the approaching motorist of the proximity of a railway crossing, and the erection of this pillar with a curb which will swaken the careless motorist who is about to drive into the approaching train.

Proud Parent—No, I will never recognize an actress as my daughter-in-law.

Lovesick Son—But she isn't an actress; she only thinks she is one. —Pensons.

VANCOUVER ISLAND
COACH LINES
LIMITED



VICTORIA DUNCAN LADYSMITH NANAIMO
Winter Schedule, Effective November 1, 1928

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The Crooks' Game

By GEORGE DILNOT

CHAPTER V (Continued)

"Reach for the ceiling—quick," ordered the policeman.

"Oh, if you wish to make a melodramatic feat of yourself," agreed Strickland, but his hands went up nevertheless. Accidents will happen, and he had no desire for posthumous glory, even if conferred by the mutton-headed stupidity on one of the force. Bloody Bill, he reflected, had led him up the garden. This constable was surely among those who find congenial living accommodation by acting in their spare time as caretakers.

"What are you doing here?" demanded the constable.

"Just what I was about to ask you," said Strickland equably. "I am Detective-Inspector Strickland of Scotland Yard."

The constable laughed incredulously. And just then the detective catching a glimpse of himself in a mirror that hung at the back of the hall realized that there was some justification for his disbelief. He was by nature a quick-and-tan man, but now he looked like a tramp. His face was begrimed with coal dust, and there was a smear of blood across one cheek, where he had brushed it with a hand that he now for the first time discovered had been cut. One trouser leg had a four-inch slit in it, and there was a big dent in his hat.

"Look more like a chimney sweep," grunted the fat man.

"How do I tell that you're a detective?" asked the policeman, and Strickland knew that he had been momentarily deceived.

Even the latest joined recruit of the Metropolitan Police knows that a Criminal Investigation Department man carries proof of his identity in the shape of a warrant card. Yet here was an ostensible member of a picked division of the force who was so ignorant that he did not ask for that card. The detective blessed the chance which had prevented him from falling into a blunder. His mind was moving quickly. He felt that he was in a position of desperate peril, yet he dared give no hint of perturbation.

"Where did you get that uniform?" he asked abruptly. "Why are you masquerading like this? Last time I knew you"—this was a shot in the dark—"you were supposed to be a footman—weren't you, Jacky?"

A deep angry crimson suffused the face of the erstwhile footman, and Strickland was convinced that he had hit the mark. Jacky regarded him with lowering face. "You shut up," he ordered.

"It's no use, you know," said the detective, smilingly disregarding the command. "The place is surrounded. Better give me that gun and be a good boy. The game's up."

For a moment he almost believed that the bluff had succeeded. From the corners of his eyes Jacky looked hesitatingly and questioningly at his companions. The woman had turned white. The fat man alone was unnoved, and he searched Strickland's face with astute little pig-like eyes. Then he waddled a step or two forward and held up a hand.

"Shoot if that grass lifts a finger," he commanded. He listened with fierce concentration and then turned to the inspector with an unpleasant smile. "Clumsy," he sneered. "Think of a newer gag than that next time."

"Have it your own way," observed Strickland. "Only I ask you to consider what sort of a fool I'd be to venture here with no one behind me."

It was easy to see that this was the dominating mind of the trio. Strickland tried vainly to place him in the mental gallery of rogues he ought to know. The effort was vain. He was certain that he had not seen the man before. If their gaffs had ever crossed he would surely remember a man of such pronounced physical characteristics.

"Bay," he went on, "I'm not made of iron. My arms are getting tired."

"Yes." The fat man moved with a swiftness that belied his bulk. In a trice the detective's arms were pinioned behind him, and dexterously secured with a length of line which the other had seemingly produced from his pocket. Resistance with that pistol staring at him would have been foolhardy and futile. "There." He was roughly pushed forward. "If you're not lying—and I think that you are—you'd better pray that no other footpassen. Naturally I spread some I'll hand it to Nares. He was polite had they'd put me aside in cold storage for a while to think things over, before they used a little extra persuasion. Somebody or other has been sitting over me with a gun ever since, and now and again offered to sell me a drink of water for a million. When you came in just now they were kind of spending up their funny little ways of persuasion."

Strickland followed Shang's eyes and with a thrill of horror noticed a steel pokey thrust between the coals of the fire. "Phew! no wonder

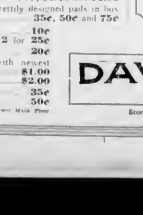
(To be Continued)

"Harry," ventured the fair heiress to the young man who had proposed to her, "I don't want to think that you are marrying me for my money."

"That goes double," responded the young man. "I don't want you to think so either."

Kitty McKay

By RUTH WILLIAM PUTNAM



The girl friend says that the man who marries money usually earns it.

COULD NOT DO MUCH WORK

Eczema on Face, Neck and Hands. Cuticura Heals.

"Eczema broke out in pimples all over my face, neck, arms and hands. I had to keep my sleeves rolled up so they would not irritate the breaking out on my arms. I was ashamed to go around on account of the eruptions and the irritation was terrible. I could not do much work, and the irritation kept me awake at night.

"I sent for a free sample of Cuticura Soap and Ointment and it gave relief. I purchased more and in about two weeks I was completely healed." (Signed) Parsley S. Pinder, R. R. 5, Lindsay, Ont., Aug. 27, 1928.

Cuticura Talcum, the newest member of the Cuticura family, for the newest member of your family.

Sold by Druggists if not, by Mail. Cuticura, Dept. 22, Malden, Mass. Cuticura Shaving Stick 25c.

New Spring Millinery Display Today

Along With Smart New Styles in Spring Attire

Women's and Misses' Printed Silk DRESSES

New Styles—New Colorings—New Materials

Printed Silk Dresses will again be noted among the leading fashions for Spring—when sunny days demand lighter, brighter and daintier materials. We show an assortment of Printed Silk Dresses in attractive designs and colorings; two-piece or straight-line styles. Skirts are made with pleats, flares or tiers. Some are collarless, others with scarf or cape collars, neatly finished with jabots, ties, knife pleating, bows and belts. A number are trimmed with plain color silk. Sizes 15 to 44.

$15.90 to $29.75

—Mantle Dept., 1st Floor

Smart Spring Millinery

This collection is truly representative of the Spring Millinery mode at its best. Here are hats to accompany the sports outfit, to wear with the tailored suit, and for more formal afternoon frocks.

There Are Small Tailored Hats and Hats With Wider Brims

The New Boneless Corselette, $7.50

Fashioned from heavy quality glove silk this New Semi-Step-In Corselette gives support without restraint and molds the figure to the fashionable silhouette. Shown in the new uplift style and well reinforced from the waistline down to hold the hips firm. Price **$7.50**

—Corsets, 1st Floor

Crepe Nightgowns and Bloomers

Nightgowns of good quality floral crepe, with strap shoulders. Very dainty, with white, pink, peach, canary or blue bindings. Each **$1.95**

Crepe Nightgowns in sleeveless style, with a round neck. In plain shades. Each **95c**

Crepe Bloomers, in white, pink, peach, blue, mauve, Nile and canary. A pair **65c**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Rayon Silk A Yard, 59c

We have just received a new shipment of Rayon Silk in all popular shades. 36 inches wide. A yard **59c**

—Rayons, Main Floor

Women's Silk and Wool Hose 98c Pair

Full-Fashioned Silk and Wool Hose with widened tops, well spliced heels and toes and double heels. A good range of shades. A pair **98c**

—Main Floor

Straws Are Particularly Smart This Season

Seldom have so many different straws been used in the creation of Spring millinery. Cashmere is introduce a new straw, Parymars, and show it in dozens of striking styles. Hats priced at

$13.50 Each

Crochet Visca is fashioned into becoming hats for the mature, in semi-tailored styles. Black, navy, sand, green, blue and grey.

$4.95 and $5.95 Each

Hats trimmed with flowers or flat velvet leaves are also favored for early Spring wear. Priced from

$8.95 to $13.50

—Millinery, 1st Floor

Play Clothes

For Tiny Tots

For the active youngster of 2 to 6 years, these khaki coveralls are splendid. They wash well, and are shown in one-piece styles, with short sleeves and ankle length pants. A suit **$1.25**

Children's Playsuits in one-piece styles, with short sleeves and ankle length pants. Shown in blue or khaki, and sizes 2 to 6 years. A suit **$1.00**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

GIRLS' SCHOOL DRESSES $1.98 Each

Smart for school, these All-Wool Flannel Dresses are shown with long sleeves, V neck and collar, and kick pleats. Trimmed with braid, and shown in fawn, green, blue and rose. Broken lines and sizes. Reduced for clearance from $4.50 each, for **$1.98**

—Children's Wear, 1st Floor

CHILDREN'S HOSIERY

375 Pairs of Children's Wool and Cotton Golf Hose, in mottled effects. A pair **39c**

480 Pairs of Children's Silk and Lisle Full Length Hose, with honeycomb tops and well spliced heels and toes. In honey beige, pearl blush, French nude, champagne, nude, zinc, evenglow, chalk and white. A pair **49c**

300 Pairs of Children's Fancy Cotton Golf Hose, in checked designs with attractive turn-over tops. A pair **50c**

500 Pairs of Children's All-Wool Golf Hose, in plain shades and heather mixtures. Turn-over tops of contrasting shades. A pair **50c**

150 Pairs of Children's Silk and Wool Hose in fine ribbed styles. Full length, in shades of sand, nude, beige, acorn and champagne, mottled with white. A pair **75c**

275 Pairs of Children's All-Wool Golf Hose, in attractive heather mixtures, with turn-over cuff tops. A pair **79c**

—Lower Main Floor

In the Bridge Section on the Lower Main Floor

You Will Find All Your Needs for Playing Bridge

Tally Cards in great variety. Per table ..... **10c** and **15c**

Bridge Sets of four fancy score pads with tally cards to match, at ..... **75c, $1.00** and **$1.50**

Bridge Score Pads. Four prettily designed pads in box, at a box ..... **35c, 50c** and **75c**

Auction Bridge Score Cards ..... **10c** and ..... 2 for **25c**

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Congress Playing Cards, with new and designs. Per pack **$1.00**

Double Pack **$2.00**

Playing Cards, a pack **35c**

Gift Edge Cards, a pack **50c**

—Stationery, Lower Main Floor

Brown Kid Shoes

Spring Favorites

Brown kid promises to retain its popularity for early Spring. We have just received several numbers in new designs, including one and two-strap styles, with centre buckle fastenings and Cuban heels. A pair **$7.50**

A brown kid Centre Buckle Strap Shoe, with reptile trimming and high flats. A pair **$8.50**

Plain Brown Kid Dressy Pumps, with high Spanish heels. A pair **$8.00**

Brown kid models in Queen quality and Veggie lines. One strap designs. A pair ..... **$10.00** to **$12.50**

—Women's Shoes, 1st Floor

Special Purchase of LACE DOILIES

Lace Table Centres and Runners, including handmade Hindu, Venetian and French Val. pieces. All reduced to less than

HALF PRICE

—Basement, Main Floor

WOMEN'S SILK HOSIERY

Full-Fashioned Semi-Service Weight Silk Hose with the new contour heels and well reinforced wearing parts. All popular shades. A pair **$1.50**

Full-Fashioned Pure Thread Silk Hose in service weight silk to the garter hem, with square heels and self rein forced wearing parts. In new shades of rifle, haze, beechnut, honey beige, hoggar, chaire, new grain, shadow, begonia and patio. A pair **$1.65**

Full-Fashioned Cortiecelli Silk Hose, service weight silk to the garter hem with square heels and reinforced wearing parts. In moonlight, shadow, blue fox, gunmetal, hoggar, pearl blush, champagne, new honey beige, beechnut, chamois, beige, parchment, chateau, black and white. A pair **$1.95**

Full-Fashioned Cortiecelli Hose in a fine texture chiffon silk to the knee heels and well reinforced wearing parts. In pearl blush, chaire, patio, French nude, chamois, chateau, parchment and black. A pair **$1.95**

—Main Floor

Men's Handkerchiefs and Ties for Spring

Men's Fine Pyramid Handkerchiefs (imported), fast color borders and new patterns. Special ..... **35c** ..... 3 for **$1.00**

Men's Pure Irish Linen Handkerchiefs. Size 18 x 18 inches. Each **25c**

Large selection of Bow Ties, new patterns and colors. Each **50c**

Men's Silk Ties in stripes and plain colors and novelty patterns. Each **$1.00**

The "Miracle" Silk Tie, will not crease and knots perfectly, does not slip. Shown in a large selection of colors. Each **$1.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

FINE BROADCLOTH SHIRTS

New Shades for Spring

Broadcloth Shirts with open green neck; white, cream and blue. Priced at, each **$1.75**

Broadcloth Shirts with collar attached or separate; blue, cream, mauve and white. Each **$1.50**

English Broadcloth Shirts with collar attached, blue, cream and white. Price, each **$1.95**

Broadcloth Shirts with collar attached, mingle stripes; assorted colors **$1.95**

Trooke Brand English Broadcloth Shirts with separate attached collar. Plain colors and white ..... **$1.95** and **$2.50**

Silk Stripe Broadcloth Shirts with separate collar to match. Three shades to select from **$2.25**

Woven Stripe Broadcloth Shirts, color goes right through the cloth. Separate collar to match. At, each **$2.75**

A Range of Forsyth and Arrow Brand Shirts in fancy stripes. Soft and starch separate collars. Priced from ..... **$2.50** to **$3.75**

—Men's Shirts, Main Floor

LINEN TABLECLOTHS

Pure Linen Damask Cloths, with colored borders in gold or blue.

Size 50 x 50, each **$2.95**

Size 66 x 66, each **$4.95**

Pure Linen Damask Napkins, shown in several different designs. A good opportunity to match up that extra cloth. Per dozen **$3.50**

—Staples, Main Floor

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